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8th ,,	Karmala	9000	....	....
15th ,,	Khiva	9000	....	....
22nd ,,	Arabia	8000	....	....
29th ,,	Nellore	7000	....	....
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12th ,,	Kashmir	9000	....	....
19th ,,	Salsette	6000	Medina	12500
26th ,,	Caledonia	8000	....	....
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10th ,,	Khyber	9000	....	....
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21st ,,	Nore	7000	Medina	12500
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Steamers.	Tons.	Arrival.	Departure.
"S.S. Anyo Maru"	2169	30th Aug. 1916	10th Sept. 1916
S.S. Banda Maru	3227	To follow	....

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Steamers.	Commanders.	Tons.	Arrival.	Departure.
Meyori Maru	M. Tanlanchi	3778	13th Aug.	27th Aug.
Yamaga Maru	S. Kudo	3701	12th Aug	25th Aug
Bombay Maru	S. Shinohara	4625	17th Aug.	24th Aug.
Rangoon Maru	T. Hori	5348	14th Sep.	26th Sept.

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Reserve Fund	£ 550,000

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Reserve Fund	£1,200,000

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Reserve Liability of Proprietors	$15,000,000
Silver Reserve Fund	$18,000,000
Gold Reserve Fund	£1,500,000

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Capital Issued	Rs. 31,00,000
Capital Subscribed	Rs. 31,00,000
Capital Paid-up	Rs. 16,21,208
Reserve Funds	Rs. 11,38,656

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THE EXCHANGE BANKS will be CLOSED on FRIDAY, the 1st proximo, being a Public Holiday under the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881. 5056

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2. For full particulars see the sheet Time Tables exhibited at Stations or apply to the Station Masters or the undersigned.

3. The No. 19 Down Express train which now leaves Victoria Terminus at 8 o'clock will, on and from the 1st September, 1916, leave at 7-55 hours instead.

A. C. RUMBOLL,
General Traffic Manager.

Bombay, 25th August, 1916. 262

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the ORDINARY SHARE CERTIFICATE of 12 Shares bearing the following numbers:—88823, 88824, 88825, 89924, 89925, 89926, 89927, 87282, 87283, 87284, 87285 and 93617 has been lost. Any person having found or being in possession, thereof is requested to return the same to the undersigned.

LAKHMIDAS SHAMJEE,
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Bombay, 2.

Dated 26th August, 1916.

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Any person or persons having any right, title, interest, claim or demand to in or upon the said property by way of sale, gift, trust, mortgage, lease, lien or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office situate at Bell Lane, Canna Building, Fort, Bombay, and to the Collector of Bombay and the Collector of Assessment, Municipality, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed after the expiration of the said period without regard to any such claim, which will thereafter be considered as having been waived and void.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of Pension and Tax land or ground with the messuage, tenement or dwelling house, hereditaments and premises standing thereon situate in Bombay without the Fort at Naviwadi Lane in the Sub-District of Bombay, fronting the said lane on the East side thereof registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 64, New No. 636, Old Survey No. 363 and New Survey No. 108, containing by admeasurement 369 square yards or thereabouts and bounded on the East by the property of Shivshankar Mankolm, on the West by the said Naviwadi, on the North by the Court called Ranbhils belonging to Gangaram Morojee Zaoba and Narayen Morojee Zaoba and on the South by the property of the heirs of the late Moroba Baboji and which said dwelling house and premises are assessed by the Collector of Assessment formerly under No. 19 and now under C. Ward No. 1566/67 and Street No. 55, 57-1.

Dated this 28th day of August, 1916.

JEHANGIR MEHTA & SOMJEE,
5061 Purchaser's Attorneys.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that Messrs. KIKABHAI MAHOMEDALLY KARIMBHAI and MAHOMEDALLY ABDULKADER, the Executors of the last Will and Testament of ESSOOFALLY SHAIK ADAM, deceased, have contracted to sell absolutely to our clients the property hereunder described:—

All persons having any claim thereto or any of them or any part thereof by way of inheritance, mortgage, charge, gift, maintenance, farzendari, right, survivorship, lease, lien or otherwise howsoever ARE REQUIRED TO MAKE THE SAME KNOWN in writing to the undersigned at their office at Cook's Building, Hornby Road, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the sale will be completed without any reference to any such claim, and the same (if any) will be deemed to have been waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of perpetual Fazendari land, Fazendari rent whereof is Rupees Five per year payable to Fazendar Bora Samsoodin Tyebally containing by admeasurement one hundred and sixty square yards or thereabouts and registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under New Survey No. 2089 together with the messuage or building standing thereon assessed by the Municipality of Bombay under Ward B. No. 151, Street No. 214-218, all which premises are situate at Baloo Sarang Street in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay and are bounded on or towards the North by the house of Vorah Tyeballi Allibhai, on or towards the South by the house of Kikabhai Mahomedalli and others on or towards the East by Baloo Sarang Street and on or towards the West by Halalkhores' Lane.

PATEL & EZEKIEL,
Purchasers' Attorneys.

Cook's Building, Hornby Road, Fort,
Bombay, this 26th day of August, 1916. 5059

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, ARMY DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE is hereby given that the War Office desire it to be known that it is not the intention to enforce at present the Military Service Acts in respect of British subjects *ordinarily* resident in Great Britain, but *temporarily residing* abroad, so far as the liability may exist.

The War Office will endeavour to utilise the services of such persons if they return home, but they are to understand that such return will be at their own risk and expense.

The liability in question does not in any case exist in regard to persons not ordinarily resident in Great Britain. For example:—Government officers, permanent employes of firms in India.

A. H. BINGLEY,
Major-General.
Secy. to the Govt. of India.
Army Department.

Simla, the 22nd August, 1916. 5048

NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that RAJA BAHADUR CHATURBHUJDAS GOVERDHANDAS of Hyderabad (Deccan), Hindu inhabitant, has contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our clients. All persons having any claim or interest in or to the said property by way of sale, mortgage, trust, lien, possession, gift, inheritance, lease or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office No. 23, Church Gate Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof otherwise the sale will be completed without any regard to any such claim and the same if any will be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of Government land or ground of Quit and Ground Rent tenure without any Sanad containing by admeasurement 330 8/9 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Collector's Old Nos. 83 and 677, Collector's New Nos. 5862 and 731, Old Survey No. 158 and New Survey No. 8600 together with the messuage, tenement or dwelling house standing thereon and assessed by the Municipality of Bombay under A. Ward No. 2156 and Street Nos. 265 and 273 and which said premises are situate at Bazar Gate Street within the Fort Walls and in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay and bounded as follows, that is to say, on or towards the East by the house of Vallabhdas Vassonji and Musa Mapla, on or towards the West by Bazar Gate Street, on or towards the North by the house of late Pamji Chatoor and on or towards the South by the house of Andarao Mancherji Bomonji.

Dated this 24th day of August, 1916.

MULLA & MULLA,
5037 Purchaser's Attorneys.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Public that our client has contracted to purchase from Mr. NAROTAM MANJI, the below-mentioned property.

All persons having any claim against the said property by way of mortgage, charge, lien, lease, inheritance, trust, gift, sale, easement, or otherwise howsoever are required to make known the same in writing to the undersigned at their office at 5, Bell Lane, Fort, within 14 days from the date hereof otherwise all such claims if any will be deemed to be waived, and the persons setting up such claims will be precluded therefrom, and the purchase will be completed without regard to any such claim or claims.

SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of land or ground situate lying and being at Walkeshwar Road without the Fort of Bombay in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 2,177 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 206, New No. 2961, Old Survey No. 20 and New Survey No. 7243, with the messuage, tenement or building standing thereon and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under D. Ward Nos. 3157 (D), 3157 (1A), and Street Nos. 69, 69A, and which said premises are bounded as follows—That is to say, on or towards the East by the Walkeshwar Road, on or towards the West by the Property of Goverdhandas Purmenandas, on or towards the North by the property of Nagindas Ranchhodas, and on or towards the South partly by the property of Ratansi Lladhar Udhavji and partly by the property of Eknath Raghunath Khote.

Dated this 25th day of August, 1916.

JAMSEDJI, RUSTOMJI & DEVIDAS,
5055 Purchaser's Attorneys.

NOTICE.

I BEG to announce that G. VEYSETTI has ceased to be a partner in the Firm known as G. Veysitti and Co., from this day.

The business will be carried on by A. VIANELLI as sole proprietor.

A. VIANELLI,
5044 393, Chaupatty.

Bombay, 24th August, 1916.

AUCTION SALE

MESSRS. SORABJI COWASJI & CO.

AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISION AGENTS.

21, Medows Street.

WEEKLY SALE.

Messrs. SORABJEE COWASJEE and Co., will, on WEDNESDAY, the 30th day of August, 1916, sell by Pulic Auction, at their Sale Rooms 21, Medows Street, Fort, the following:—

AT 2-30 P.M. (S.T.).

Balance of the consignment o Decorative and Useful porcelain consting of plates, biscuit boxes, jam pots, tea sets, coffee sets, sets of bowls, flowe baskets, flower plates, jars, vases, floer pots, animal and other figures, cloonne enamellel vases, incense burner plates, etc.

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AT 4 P.M. (S.T.).

80 chests each 60lb. Chinese blk tea.

SORABJI, COWASJI & CO.,
Actioneers.

Bombay, 28th Aug., 1916.

MENESSE & CO.

No. 35, HUMMUM STREET, FORT.

AUCTION SALE of Old Wood Empty Iron Drums, Wooden Cases, tsks and Scrap, Iron, etc.

Messrs. MENESSE and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auion, on MONDAY, the 28th August, 19, at 3.30 p.m. (S.T.), in the B. I. S.i. Coy's Dockyard, Mazagon:—

A quantity of old wood, ety iron drums, wooden cases, casks nd scrap iron, etc.

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On TUESDAY, the 5th and WEDNESDAY, the 6th September, both days, at 2 p.m. (S.T.), Messrs. MEHTA and Co., are instructed to sell by Public Auction, in special Rooms, at the well-known "Lamp Warehouse," 43, Esplanade Road, Fort, brand new very large stock of:—

Solid brass and copper lamps (electric and oil) for drawing and dining room and verandah hanging lamps, chandeliers (1 to 8 lights), kerosine reading lamps and American electric desk lamps, standard floor lamps and candle lights for dining table, wall bracket and billiard lamps also lanterns for post or gate, quantity of Prince of Wales decoration batties, electric ceiling and table fans with extra resistances, big lot of brand new pressure and non-pressure lamps of various patterns (200 to 3,000 C.P.), including the well-known Aladdin and Continental type, also large tanks for pressure lamps and rods for lighting street lamps, rich glassware such as decanters, wine jugs vases, etc. Rich crockery such as washing sets, dessert sets, jugs, teapots, vases, hot water plates, dishes, etc., etc. Brand new stoves of sizes for cooking (Ripping-gille and Brandon), warming and heating stoves, also railway and carriage lanterns by Lords, Birmingham. Sunlight lamps with solid brass billiard ceiling rod, also carbon lamps, with extras. Clockwork garden fountain with aquarium English enamelled iron bath tub, quantities of al sorts of lamp spares, wicks, chimneys, globes, numerous other trade sundries, also lot of second-hand motor tyres, etc., etc., the property of Messrs. S. Bannister and Co., clearing off surplus stock.

The above goods will be on view from 30th instant, when catalogues can be had.

MEHTA & Co.
Auctioneers.

Bombay, 28th Aug., 1916.

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AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION AGENTS.

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BONA-FIDE SALE.

SALE OF VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, ETC., OF NAWAB MIR NAWAJ ALI KHAN.

AUCTION SALE of valuable handsome teakwood and blackwood plain and carved household furniture by John Roberts, Devji Canji and other well-known makers, sweet-toned cottage piano electric chandelliers with lights electric globes and fittings, rich plated-ware, glassware, crockeryware, etc.

Messrs CRAWFORD and Co., will sell by Public Auction on SUNDAY, the 3rd day of September, 1916, at 2-30 p.m. (S.T.), at the bungalow at the Sussex Road, near the Victoria Gardens Byculla very valuable and handsome household furniture by John Roberts, Devji Canji and other well-known makers, consisting of dining table for 12 persons, 12 strong-made and handsome dining chairs dumb-waiter, meatsafe, dinner waggon, drawing room suites of chesterfield sofas and chairs, blackwood and carved handsome sofas, mirror door single and double almirahs, chest of drawers, clothes hanging and gown presses, wardrobes, sideboards with mirror backs, corner cabinets, clothes baskets, revolving book case, easy and rocking chairs, teakwood and blackwood arm and without arm chairs, dressing and writing tables, marble top tables, fancy teapoys, selected artistic cabinets, teakwood arm chairs, blackwood cot, single and double, bed-steads sweet toned cottage piano, wash hand table, palm stands, blackwood chiffoneers, jardineers, cane chairs, mattings, Durrie and Persian carpets, very rich and rare available two copper figures of Tiger and Lion of very big size table ornaments, electric chandelliers with lights, electric globes and fittings, rich platedware, glassware, crockery ware, cooking utensils, etc.

The property of Nawab Mir Nawaj Ali Khan.

Catalogues will be published and the property will be on view 4 days before sale.

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Bombay, 23th Aug., 1916.

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Under instructions from Sir Sassoon J. David, Bart., and W. Turner Green Esq., Liquidators of the Empress, Connaught James Greaves and Imperial Mills in liquidation, Messrs. BENNETT and Co., will sell by Public Auction, at the abovementioned Mills, at De Lisle Road, Chinchpoogly, TO-MORROW TUESDAY, the 29th instant and the following days at 2 p.m. each day:—

All the spare parts of machinery and stores such as canvas hose, fire server hydrants, instantaneous couplings, engine packings, lap rollers, top beater regulator, quadrants, leather roller wheels, adjusting nuts, long collars, long and short battons bobins, wheels for rowing spindle wheels, C.I. weight hooks, roller spindles, arm wheels, fan spider, slubbing presses, brass bushes, brass button stips, comb blades, quadrants, agate stones, asbestoes fibres, buffer springs, files, iron chains, iron hooks gauge glasses, glass lubricatos, wire, nails cylinder coils chocolate paint blue powder, varnish, roller leather, electric wire coloured yarn etc., etc., too many to describe and also one lot office furniture such as, glass door cupboard, writing tables, chairs copying press, benches, stools, etc.

The above will be sold in convenient lots to suit the requirements of purchasers.

The above is now on view.

A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required at the time of sale.

AUCTION SALE OF BLEACHING POWDER.

Under instructions from Messrs. Mitsui Bussan Kaisha, Ltd., Messrs. BENNETT and Co., will on SATURDAY, the 9th proximo, sell by Public Auction at 3-30 p.m. (S.T., at Messrs. Mitsui Bussan Kaisha, Ltd.'s Godown, at Thana Street, opposite Princess Dock, on account of the concerned:—

Ex. S.S. "Inaba Maru," arrived 27th July 1916.

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A deposit of 25 per cent will be required at the time of sale.

AUCTION SALE OF WHITE MULLS.

Messrs. BENNETT and Co., will THIS-DAY MONDAY, the 28th instant sell by Public Auction at 2 p.m., (S.T.), at their Rooms at No. 22, Apollo Street, Fort, by order of Messrs. Bansilal Abirchand and on account and risk of the defaulting purchaser Gopaldas Chhanulal:—

22 cases of white mulls No. 158.
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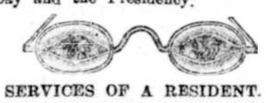

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WEATHER REPORT

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

SIMLA, Aug. 26.

The break in the monsoon in the Peninsula persists but in Northern India and Upper Burma rainfall has been more plentiful than usual.

Rainfall has been nearly general in lower Burma, Assam, Bengal, Bihar, United Provinces, east and north Punjab, east Rajputana, Central India, east in west Central Provinces; local in Upper Burma, Orrisa, Baluchistan, Madras Deccan and north Madras coast. A few falls also occurred in east Central Provinces, Konkan, Bombay, Deccan, south-east Madras.

The chief amounts are:—Bassein three inches, Toungoo, Akyab and Mammyo one and a half, Yamethin one, Dibrugarh two, Cherrapunji three, Cox's Bazar, Berhampur one and a half, Narayanganj and Saugor Island one, Barisal two, Patna, Allahabad, Lucknow one, Jhansi, Agra two, Mussooree, Delhi Murree one and a half, Rawalpindi three, Kotah one and a half, Mount Abu one, Nowgong two, Hoshangabad, Pachmarhi, Pendra and Bijapur one, Coimbatore one and a half.

Forecast:—No large change.

SIMLA, Aug. 27.

A depression has formed over the Gangetic plain which is giving moderate to heavy rain in the area represented by Delhi, Kotah, Nowgong and Pachmarhi. A few heavy falls are also reported from deltaic Bengal. Break continues over the Peninsula.

Rainfall has been nearly general in Lower Burma, Bengal, West United Provinces, East Rajputana and Central India; local in Upper Burma, Assam, Chota Nagpur, east United Provinces, south-west Punjab, the Central Provinces, Mysore and Malabar. A few falls also occurred in east and north Punjab and Hyderabad.

The chief amounts are:—Moulmein, Burdwan four; Barisal, Jhansi, Roorkee, Toungoo two; Akyab seven; Calcutta, Burdwan four; Barisal, Jhansi, Roorkee, Mussooree one, Delhi, Kotah one and a half; Mount Abu one; Nowgong six; Saugor, Pachmarhi one and Cochin one and a half.

TEMPERATURE IN BOMBAY.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, COLABA,

Bombay, 25th Aug. 1916.

Means of observations taken at 4 a. m. 10 a.m. 2 p. m. 4 p. m. and 10 p. m.

Barometer corrected to 32 deg Fahr	....	29.767 Inch.
Temperature of Air	....	83 2 Deg.
Wet Bulb Thermometer	....	78 3 "
Dew Point	....	76 6 "
Relative humidity of Air	....	0.808 "
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky cloudy=10)	....	7.0 "
Maximum temperature of Air	....	86.9 "
Minimum do	....	79.5 "
General direction of Wind from midnight to midnight	....	W.
Movement of Wind do. do.	....	183 Miles.
Fall of Rain	....	0.01 Inches
Total fall during month	....	16.76 "
Do do. year	....	65.52 "
Additional fall of rain up to 10 a.m. of 26th Aug	....	0.09 "

SUN, MOON AND TIDES IN BOMBAY.

The following are the hours and heights of the tides in Bombay Harbour during the ensuing week. Hour stated in Bombay Mean Time depth of water is at Prince's Dock:—

Day of Week.	Day of Month.	HIGH WATER. Bombay Mean time.		Depth on Still.	Day of Week.	LOW WATER. Bombay Mean time.		Depth on Still.
	Aug.	h.	m.	ft. in.	Aug.	h.	m.	ft. in.
Sat	26	m 10	28	26 6	26	m 2	25	17 11
		10	14a	24 11		3	28a	19 2
Sun.	27	m 10	55	27 0	27	m 4	0	17 4
		10	48a	25 9		4	57a	18 5
Mon.	28	m 11	23	27 5	28	m 4	42	10 11
		11	22n	26 6		5	24a	17 8
Tues.	29	m 12	26	27 9	29	m 5	56	16 7
		12	36a	27 1		6	30a	17 8
Wed.	30				30	m 6	29	16 7
		0	33a	27 10		6	57a	16 8
Thur.	31	m 1	12	27 4	31	m 7	0	16 11
	Sept.	1	41a	27 9	Sept.	7	24a	16 4
Fri.	1	m 1	44	27 4	1	m 7	7	16 2
		1	50a	27 5		7	52a	16 5

The following are the hours of sunrise and sunset according to Indian Standard Time during the ensuing week:—

Aug.	Sunrise.	Sunset.
,, 26 (Saturday)	,, 6h 23m.	,, 6h. 59m.
,, 27 (Sunday)	,, 6h. 23m.	,, 6h. 58m.
,, 28 (Monday)	,, 6h. 23m.	,, 6h. 57m.
,, 29 (Tuesday)	,, 6h. 23m.	,, 6h. 56m.
,, 30 (Wednesday)	,, 6h. 23m.	,, 6h. 56m.
,, 31 (Thursday)	,, 6h. 24m.	,, 6h. 56m.
Sept. 1 (Friday)	,, 6h 24m.	,, 6h. 54m.

PHASES OF THE MOON:—

First Quarter	1916 Aug. 7d.	2h. 35.6	a.m.
Full Moon	,, ,, 13d.	5h. 30.3	p.m.
Last Quarter	,, ,, 20d.	6h. 22.8	p.m.
New Moon	,, ,, 28d.	10h. 54.7	p.m.

DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

Summary of observations recorded at 8 hours on Saturday, the 26th August 1916, giving data for the preceding 24 hours.

The Punjab.—Rainfall has been general in the north Punjab and local in the east Punjab; Rawalpindi has had 2.92 in., Lahore 0.85 in. and Delhi 1.35 in. Skies are lightly clouded in the south-west Punjab and moderately clouded elsewhere. Humidity is normal or excess.

The United Provinces.—Rainfall has been nearly general; Agra has had 1.96 in., Jhansi 2.12 in. and Allahabad 1.00 in. Skies are moderately or heavily clouded. Humidity is normal or in excess.

Sind and Rajputana.—Rainfall has been nearly general in east Rajputana; Ajmer has had 0.78 in., Jaipur 0.55 in., Kotah 1.47 in. and Mount Abu 1.14 in. Skies are clear in upper Sind and moderately or heavily clouded elsewhere. Humidity is normal or in excess. Day temperature is in defect except in lower Sind; night temperature is also below normal in east Rajputana.

Gujarat, Kathiawar and Central India West.—Ahmedabad reports 0.14 in. of rain. Skies are moderately clouded.

The Central Provinces.—Rainfall has been nearly general except in the south-eastern districts; Jubbulpore has had 0.6[illegible] in., Saugor 2.77 in., Khandwa 0.25 in. and Amraoti 0.10 in. Skies are moderately or heavily clouded. Day temperature is in defect in the northern half of the division.

The Konkan.—Ratnagiri records 0.31 in. of rain. Skies are moderately or heavily clouded.

The Bombay Deccan and Hyderabad.—Bijapur records 0.90 in. of rain. Skies are moderately or heavily clouded.

General Remarks.—Rainfall has increased in the Punjab, the United Provinces and east Rajputana but decreased in west Rajputana, the central parts of the country and in the Peninsula and ceased in Sind and Baluchistan; it has been nearly general in the north Punjab, the United Provinces, east Rajputana, the northern half of the Central Provinces and local in the east Punjab and south-east Madras while a few showers have occurred in Gujarat, the Konkan, and the Bombay Deccan.

Nearly general rain is likely in the United Provinces, the northern half of the Central Provinces, and in east Rajputana, local rain in the Punjab and a few showers on the west coast of the Peninsula and in the southern half of the Deccan and in south-east Madras.

OBSERVATIONS TAKEN AT 8 a. m. ON SATURDAY, the 26th of August 1916.

STATIONS.	Temp in Shade. Maximum of past 24 hours	Temp in Shade. Minimum of past 24 hours	Humidity. 8 A. M.	Rainfall. Past 24 hours	Rainfall. Total 1st June to date.	Departure 1st June to date.
PERSIAN GULF—						
Bushire						
Do. (25th Aug.)	95.5	87.0	63	..	0	—0.01
Jask	92 7	83.7	76	..	0·29	0.28
Do. (th Aug.)	..	..	..	..	..	..
Muskat	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. (25th Aug.)	89.2	83.6	81	..	0.58	0.41
PUNJAB—						
Multan	96.8	81.0	79	..	2.56	—0.77
Rawalpindi	91 6	72 0	98	2 92	34.07	15 19
Lahore	96.0	4 2	95	0.85	21.19	9.11
Hissar	93.4	76 1	76	..	14.22	..
Ambala	91.9	75 1	80	..	24 64	6.56
Delhi	90.8	74.2	90	1.35	19.11	1.14
UNITED PROVINCES—						
Agra	88 8	76.7	93	1.96	23 11	4.28
Mainpuri	88 8	78 1	87	0.09	20 37	8.40
Jhansi	83.6	74.8	98	2.12	2 63	6 02
Cawnpore	87.6	7 9	91	0.09	30.75	15 82
Allahabad	94.8	76 8	82	1.00	49.48	22.20
SIND AND RAJPUTANA						
Jacobabad	98 9	82.4	78	..	1.58	—0 58
Karachi	84.6	77.3	84	..	40.29	14.88
Ajmer	94.2	72 0	92	0.28	15.72	0 61
Jaipore	88.2	63 1	9[illegible]	0.55	15.11	—1 72
Kotah	82 6	73 2	87	1.47	20.57	10.37
Mount Abu	66.8	63.2	99	1.14	60 24	13 62
GUJARAT, KATHIAWAR AND CENTRAL INDIA WEST—						
Bhuj	85.6	75.5	80	..	10.27	—0 84
Dwarka	85.4	78.7	80	..	8.88	—2.76
Veraval	82 6	75.4	91	0.08	14 [illegible]	—0.08
Rajkot	86.[illegible]	71.8	85	0.06	18.30	—2.44
Bhavnagar Farm	90.8	5.4	86	0.02	12.65	—2.07
Surat	86. 77		77	0.07	37.77	5.48
Ahmedabad	88.6	75 9	89	0.14	12.91	—4.94
Deesa	88.7	70 2	84	0.04	18.91	0.66
Neemuch	81 6	73.5	88	1.62	30 92	10 68
Indore	78.7	71.5	89	0.69	31.6.	9 69
CENTRAL PROVINCES—						
Jubbulpore	78.7	73 1	99	0.63	33 82	—6 60
Saugor	74 6	71 8	90	2.77	29 40	—6.71
Hoshangabad	88 7	73 4	93	0.98	42 65	8 07
Khandwa	79.6	73 9	92	0.25	24.92	0.27
Akola	84 2	73.6	75	0.01	27.33	6.44
Amraoti	89 3	3	90	0.10	20.15	4.33
Nagpur	83 6	74 6	100	0.00	20 72	3 08
Chanda	86.7	75 6	80	0 03	38.75	3 06
Raipur	84 6	74 4	88	0.02	28.80	—5.86
KONKAN—						
Bombay	86 9	79.4	89	0.01	65 41	9.99
Ratnagiri	84 6	76 1	85	0.31	105 77	23 78
Marmugao	86 3	76 7	93	..	88.37	12.88
Karwar	84 2	79.2	94	0.02	91.31	—9.33
BOMBAY DECCAN AND HYDERABAD—						
Malegaon	90 1	73.1	79	..	12.92	0.81
Ahmednagar	86.4	67.0	76	..	10.76	6.13
Poona	84 2	67.6	82	0.03	12.80	—2.71
Sholapur	89.3	70.6	71	..	10.21	6.04
Bijapur	87.6	69.6	70	0.90	11.39	3 70
Belgaum	79 4	6.6	83	0.04	27.63	—9 56
Aurangabad	82.4	69 3	89	..	28.46	12.39
Nizamabad (Indur)	84 9	3.4	70	..	23.07	—0.83
Hyderabad	87.4	6.3	82	..	23.02	0.91
MALABAR AND OUTCOS—						
Mangalore	86.0	74.0	83	..	89.94	—8 59
Calicut	86.4	7 4	94	..	56 26	—3 46
Cochin	8[illegible]	6.4	9[illegible]	..	86.80	—2.62
Colombo	86.1	74.9	86	0.23	34.67	8.97
MADRAS EXCLUDING MALABAR AND MYSORE—						
Masulipatam	90.5	79.5	81	..	34.87	18 18
Bellary	92 5	69.7	69	..	10.06	4 49
Cuddapah	93.4	75.2	71	0.09	15.30	6.16
Madras	87 0	5.7	75	..	10.46	0 03
Bangalore	76 6	6 8	90	0.02	23 65	12.09
Coimbatore	86 6	70 2	82	1 42	8.59	5.08
Trichinopoly	93.0	73.4	82	0.1[illegible]	14.4[illegible]	8.35
Negapatam	92.2	5.6	88	0.16	10.55	4.29

STANDARD BAROMETER READING.

The following information is published in order that vessels in the Bombay Harbour may by comparison with a standard instrument ascertain the errors of their barometers:—

The reading of the Standard Barometer in the Colaba Observatory corrected for index error and reduced to 80 deg. F. and to the level of the tide, at 8-45 a.m., Standard Time on the 26th August 1916 was 29.755 inches. No temperature corrections applicable to mercurial barometer of ships the reading of the ship's barometer has to be increased or decreased by .031 inch for every 5 degrees according as the temperature of the attached thermometer is respectively below or above 80 deg. F. In case of the aneroid no temperature correction is needed. But for comparison at 80 deg. F. all aneroid readings should be increased by .138 inch. For correcting the ship's barometer either mercurial or aneroid for the height of the barometer cistern above the tide level in the stream at 8-45 a.m. Standard Time, the ship's barometer reading should be increased by .010 inch for every 10 feet of the height to make it comparable with the observatory barometer reading given.

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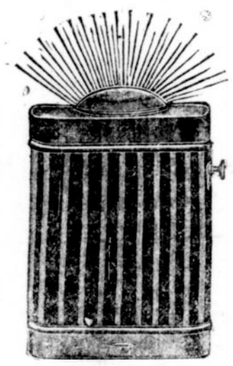

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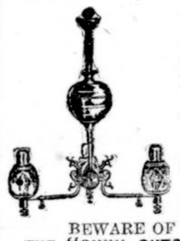

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Liverpool, Aug. 25th.

Months.	To-day's price.
August	11.84
November	12.17
January	12.27

ADDITIONAL QUOTATIONS.
Liverpool, Aug. 25th.

M. G. Bengal Good	6.70
,, ,, Fully Good	6.80
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LIVERPOOL WEEKLY COTTON REPORT.
London, Saturday, Aug. 26th.

	Bales.
Total in Sight	342,000
Egyptian Visible Supply	63,000
East Indian ,, ,,	201,000
American ,, ,,	1,810,000
Other ,, ,,	45,000
Total Sales	28,000
East Indian Sales	700
Total Speculation	3,000
,, Export	9,000
East Indian Export	..
,, ,, Stock	59,000
,, ,, Forwarded	1,200
,, ,, Actual Export	800
,, ,, Imports	1,100
,, ,, Speculation	200
American Afloat	760,000
East Indian Afloat	11,000
Total Afloat	100,000

LIVERPOOL COTTON STATISTICS.
London, Aug. 25th.

	Bales.
Total Actual Export	4,000
,, Forwarded	57,000
,, Imports	91,000
,, Stock	675,000
Actual Weekly Sales	28,000

AMERICAN MARKETS.
New York, Aug. 25th.

Day's Exports to Great Britain	Nil.
,, ,, to Continent	9,000
Fair Rio Coffee (No. 7 quality)	9¾
Demand Bills	4.75.75
Silver Commercial Bars	66¾

	Bales.
Week's Receipts of Cotton at U.S. Ports	80,000
,, Exports to Great Britain	26,000
,, ,, to France and Continent	47,000
Stock of Cotton at U. S. Ports	402,000
,, ,, Interior Ports	266,000

MONEY MARKET.
London, Aug. 25th.

Bar Silver Spot	31⅛
Closing Tone of Silver—Very quiet	
Discount, Bank of England Rate 6 per cent. since 15th ultimo.	
Discount Bank Bills 3 m/st	5⅛
,, Indian Bank Bills 6 m/st	5 13/16
,, Fine Trade Bills 3 months	6⅛
,, ,, ,, 6 ,,	6⅛
Interest day to day loans	4½
,, 7 day market loans	4½
Consols 2½%	59⅛
Rupee Paper 5½%	49½ Nominal.
Indian Stock 3½% Sterling Loan	70⅜
Government Securities 3%	60⅜
ex. On London at Paris France	28.11

THE MAILS.
London, Aug. 25th.
The Bombay Mails were delivered here to-day.

WAR LOANS.
London, Aug. 25th.

3½ % 1925—1928	80⅛ Unchgd.
4½ % 1925—1945	90⅞

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS
London, Aug 25th.

WHEAT.	
Wheat Choice White Karachi per 492 lbs. C. I. F. Sept.-Oct. Sellers	72
SOUTH AMERICAN.	
Barletta Russo—60 lbs. Aug.-Sept. Sellers	69/9
BARLEY.	
Karachi Barley Aug.-Sept. Nominal	51/9
SEEDS.	
Rapeseed, Ferozepore, usual Bold 416 lbs. 80% ex-ship Sept.-Oct. Sellers	68/6
Rapeseed, Brown, Cawnpore 416 lbs. ex-Ship. July-Aug. Nominal	66
Toria Rapeseed:—Sept.-Oct. Sellers	69
LINSEED.	
Linseed Bombay per 416 lbs. ex-ship. Aug.-Sept. Resellers	79
Linseed Calcutta Aug.-Sept. Sellers	77/3
COTTONSEED.	
Bombay Cottonseed (sound delivered per ton) July-August. Bull. Nominal	£12-0-0
METALS.	
English Best Selected Copper	£126+1
Standard Copper G.M.B.	£110
Copper Braziers	£147
Yellow Metal	144
Hard Spelter	44
Tin Plates I.C. Coke 14 × 20, 112 sheets per box weighing boxes C.I.F. Liverpool	18/9
Iron Corrugated sheets 24 gauge G.O.B. 4 o/o F.O.B. Liverpool	£26-5-0
Pig Iron No. 1, Garlsuerrie	£6-4-6
FREIGHT.	
Coals:—Cardiff to Bombay Canal.—Nominal.	
RUBBER.	
Para Rubber Fine Hard Cure August-Sept Buyers	2/11¼-¾
Plantation First Latex Crepe. Sept Value.	2/3-¼

BOMBAY MARKETS.

RECEIPTS OF COTTON AND PRODUCE.

The following are the receipts of Cotton Wheat, and Seeds, by rail and sea into Bombay during the 24 hours up till 6 p.m. on 25th August 1916:—

Cotton	2,285	Bales.
Wheat	15,646	cwts.
Linseed	12,775	,,
Rape, Rai and Mustard Seed	265	,,
Gingellyseed	81	,,
Groundnuts	2,547	,,
Castorseed	5,177	,,
Rice	651	,,
Myrabollams	154	,,
Cottonseed	783	,,
Gram	1,448	,,
Joowar	1,951	,,
Barley	166	,,

EXCHANGE.

Banks' Selling Rates:—	
T. T. Ready	1s. 4 1-32d.
D. D. Mail	1s. 4 1-16d.
T. T. Forward	1s. 4 3-32d. Oct.
Bank's Buying Rates:—	
Credits 3 Months' Sight Ready	1s. 4 7-16d.
Do. do Forward	1s. 4 15-32d. Sept.
Do. 6 m-s. Ready	1s. 4 11-16d.
Francs 3 m-s. do	194
60 d-s. Hong-Kong	156
Do. Shanghai	216
Do. Yokohama	154½

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BOARD FOR MONDAY, THE 28TH OF AUGUST, 1916.

BEFORE MR. JUSTICE MACLEOD.
In the Division Court No. 43.
SUITS FOR HEARING AND FINAL DISPOSAL.
LONG CAUSE.

1415-15.—Hiralal & Co., Bhaidas Shivdas v. Bai Gulab and ors, Mehta D and L, Edgelow G W & Co., G B Pandya, Little & Co., Part Heard.
FOR TRIAL OF ISSUES,
1396-14.—Payne & Co., The Standard Bank, Ld. v. Birdichand Jivraj & anr, Matu J & M, As per Ap: Cl's Order d. 20-7-16.
LONG CAUSES.
371-16.—Ard H D & Co., Carrim Haji Valley v. Jossuf Haji Valley, Payne & Co.
387-16.—Mehta D & L, Wadilal Mathoo v. Goolamabas Goolamally, Payne & Co.
441-16.—Captain & V, Atmaram Ratansey v. Chhotalal Jivandas, Shroff D & D.
1238-15—Mirza M and M, Ahmedbin Essa Khalifa v Rustom K R Cama and ors, Payne and Co. Dastur and Co.
1087-15.—Malvi H M & R, Purshottamdas Ramgopal v. Sagarmal Ganeshnarayen & ors, Kanga & S.
1077-15.—S A Tyabji for a pauper, Idanbai v. Ahsanally Mazherally & anr, Ard H D & Co.
1092-15.—Ard H D & Co., Gopalji Gangji & Co., a firm v. Hemraj Lalchand, a firm, Shroff D & D.
1696-15.—Mulla & M, The Prospect Mills Co., Ld. v. Messrs Adamji Pirbhoy & Sons, a firm, Edg G W & Co.
1263-15.—Matu J & M, Ismail Ibrahim & Bros., a firm v. Cassumbhoy Goolamhussain, Hiralal & Co.
29-16.—Payne & Co., The Bombay and Hujaz Steam Navign. Co., Ld., (in Liquidation) v. Haji Ajam Goolam Hoosein & Co., a firm, Daph F & D.
450-15.—Captain & V, The Official Assignee of Bombay v. Shanker Devla, a firm, Forbes & Co.
481-16.—Mulla & M, Messrs. Hormusji Hirjibhai Wadia & Bros., a firm, & anr v. Monji Dewsey, Jam R & D.
498-16.—Edg G W Co., Lala Harnarayen & anr v. Chhotalal I Parekh & anr, Payne & Co
515-16.—Patell & Ez, Tyabally Mahomedally Dalal v. Mahomedally Allibhai Kachwalla, Jeh S M & H.
386-16.—Mulji & Tha, Bai Taragavi, widow v. Gangadas Madhowji, N. C. Dalal.
529-16.—Little & Co., Charles Cowan Goodwin v. Sallebhai Goolam Hoosein Attarwalla, Mehta D & L.

BEFORE MR. JUSTICE KEMP.
In the Division Court No. 40.
SUIT FOR HEARING AND FINAL DISPOSAL
LONG CAUSES.
293-16.—Shroff D & D, Messrs Surji Vallabhdas & Co., a firm v. Messrs Javeri Co., a firm, Daphtary F & D, Part Heard.
S C 790-16—Little and Co, Pohoomull Bros a firm v Radhaoai widow an dors, Mehta D and L, Mulla and Mulla as part heard, 15-8-16.
T & I J 10-16.—Mulla & Mulla, Darashaw Edulji Patel v. Bachubai Ardesi Patel, Ard H D & Co.
FOR HEARING ON EXCEPTIONS TO COMMISSIONER'S REPORT.
481-15.—N C Dalal, Bhana Walji v. Rajoo Babaji, Bhai K & G.
FOR DETERMINATION OF A QUESTION.
266-16.—Raghavaya N & Co., Chimanlal Poonjiram Pandya v. Bai Mangu, widow, Dik Dh & P, As per J Or 27-7-16.
FOR POINT OF JURISDICTION.
695-16.—Rustomji & G, Gopal Krishna & anr v. Bapuji Govind Khale, Captain & V, Ch. Sd. 14-8-16.
LONG CAUSES.
713-16.—Motichand & D, A L Ferreira v. Tulsidas Tejpal, Jam R & D.
545-16.—Mehta D and L, Baourao Sakharam Jadhav v. Hirilal Bhaishanker & ors, Rustomji and G.
1296-15.—Maneck D and Co. (for a Pauper), Haji Hassan Reza v. Haji Mahomed Hassan Amamoo, Rustomji & G.
1209-15.—Little and Co., Abdul Razak bin Abdul Gafoor v. Mahomed Hoossein Dalvi, Captain and V.
1447-14.—Bhimji & Co., Anantrao Bhicaji Subnis v. Napu Patramal and anr, Judah & Solomon.
644-15.—Jamsetji R & D, Pokhurmull Moolidhar, a firm v. Kanayalal Anupsing, a firm.
482-15.—Mirza M & M, Narranji Waghji v. Keshowji Waghji, & ors, Madh K & Ch, Tyabji D & Co., Ardesir H D & Co.
18-13.—Jamsetji R and D, Khialdas Ramdas, a firm v. Lalla Dukhbnaiyantal.
S C Ct 460-1677-15.—Bhimji & Co., Shrinivasdas Sitaram, v. Parkisondas Rambhagat, & anr, Mulla & M.
1337-15.—Payne & Co, Lakhaji Dollaji & Co., a firm v. Hakmaji Motaji & Co., a firm, Diksbit D & P.
197-15.—Shroff D & D, Jamnadas Tricamdas v. Mullibai, widow, C P D Cunha.
1075-15.—Jehangir M & S, Rose Mary, widow, & ors v. Bomonji Rustomji Contractor, Mulla & Mulla.
1049-15.—Dlk D & P, Jivanbhai Jaganath Jariwalla v. Abdul Gafur Abdulla, & anr, Ardesir H D & Co.
397-15.—Edg G W & Co., Nathoo Karson v. Bapuji Jamsnedji Dubash, & anr, Dubash & Co.
345-15.—Dubash and Co., Bapuji Jamshedji Dubash v. Nathoo Karson Mistry, Edgelow G W & Co.
143-14.—Payne & Co., Nandramdas Mathuradas, a firm, v. Abdealli Abdul Kadar & ors, Captain & V.
1242-15.—N C Dalal, Maneckshand Kissondas Mutha v. Keshav Raghupati Bharad G H Dalal.

BEFORE MR. JUSTICE KAJIJI.
In the Division Court No. 46.
SUITS FOR HEARING AND FINAL DISPOSAL.
LONG CAUSES.
137-16.—Mehta D & L, Messrs. Shivji Gordhan, a firm v. Hassan Chelwassetty Gundasetty and Bros., a firm, and anr, Hiralal and Co.
188-16.—Purnanand & Co., Madhowji Hirji v. Jagsey Khimji, a firm, & anr, Captain and V.
257-16.—Bhaishanker K & G, Dayabhai Tapidas and ors v. Kimji Walji and anr, Ardesir H D & Co.
1090-15.—Jam R & D, Mariambibi, widow, & anr v. Bismillabi, widow & ors, Mer K & Co., Jam R & D, Sm B & Co.
155-16.—Payne & Co., The Indian & Peninsular Steam Navigation Co., Ltd. v. Pandit Sheobiharilal Misra, Dikshit D & P.
813-15.—Dubash & Co. for a pauper, Monji v. Moolbai, widow & anr, Mulji & & Tha.
1262-15.—Sm B & Co., Bai Amabai v. Jehangir Maneckji Lebuwalla & ors, Mer K & Co., Pocha & Co.
1068-15—Jamsetji R and D, Kanji Dhanji v Padamsey Dhanji and anr, Ardeshir H D and Co, Rustomji and G. For postponement.
1107-15.—Sabnis & G, Meghji Bharmal v. Kanji Takorsey & ors, & ors, Ard H D & Co.
37-15.—Mulla & M, Rustomji Kharsedji Desai v. Lala Bhimaji & anr.
1257-15.—Payne & Co., S Mahomed Oomer H Mahomed Hasan, a firm v. S Naseeruddin & Co., a firm, Ard H D & Co.

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Mahomedan: 28th of Shawal, 1334.
Parsi: 22nd (Goad) of Aspandad, 1285.
Phases of the Moon: New Moon, 28th August.
Sunrise: 6 h. 23 m. **Sunset:** 6 h. 59 m.

LOCAL ENGAGEMENTS.

Mails for Ceylon, the Straits Settlements, China, Japan and Australia per steamer Sardinia will be closed at the General Post Office, at 7-30 p.m. Parcel mail for China closes at 6-30 p.m. the same day.

WEDNESDAY, Aug. 30.

English Mail steamer Arabia due at 5 p.m.
Meeting of Standing Committee, Municipal Corporation, 4-10 p.m.

FRIDAY, September 1.

Ganesh Chaturthi ,Hindu Holiday, Banks closed.

DAILY.

Excelsior Theatre: Bandman Varieties and Cinema at 6-30 and 9-45 p.m.
Royal Opera House: Cinema, 6-45 p.m. and 10 p.m.
America-India Cinema: Charni Road, 6-45 to 8-15, 8-30 to 10-0, 10-15 to 11-45.
New Alexandra Cinema: Crawford Market, 7, 8-45 and 10-30 p.m.
Olympia Cinema: Sandhurst Road, 6-30, 8-45 and 10-30 p.m.

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BOMBAY LIGHT HORSE.

Squadron Orders by Lieut.-Colonel Sir Stanley Reed, Kt., A.-D.-C., Commanding.
Aug. 28.

Riding School.—Riding School daily at 7 a.m.

Dismounted Drill.—There will be dismounted drill at the Town Hall on Tuesday evening, the 29th instant, at 6 p.m.

Parade.—Friday, September 1st, being a Public Holiday, there will be a Parade for all members. Orders will be issued by Circular later.

Leave.—The undernamed member is granted leave ex-India:—

Trooper P. C. Sawyer, "C" Troop, from 29th August to 30th November, 1916:—

NOTICE.

It is notified for information of members, that a Boxing Class under a qualified Instructor will be held every Thursday evening at the Volunteer Club between 6-30 and 7-30 p.m.

(Sd.) F. C. ANNESLEY, 2nd-Lieut.,
Acting Adjutant, Bombay Light Horse.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY.

Corps orders by the Hon. Lieut.-Col. J. S. Wardlaw-Milne Commanding.
Aug. 26.

No. 277 DUTIES.

Duties for the week commencing Monday 28th instant:—

Orderly Officer for the ensuing week 2nd Lieut. H. G. Weber.

Orderly Officer next for duty Lieut. A. M. Green.

Orderly Sergeant No. 1 Company Sergeant W. A. Nivan.

Orderly Sergeant No. 2 Company Sergeant W. H. Stubbs.

Orderly Sergeant E.E. Company Sergeant H. W. Walton.

No. 278 PARADES

Tuesday 29th inst:—The detachment warned to bring the 15pr B.L. Gun from Colaba will parade at the Gun Park, Colaba at 7 a.m.

Tuesday 29th inst:—Officers of Nos 1 and 2 Companies on the Oval at 7 a.m. Lines of fire and passing of orders, etc.

Thursday 31st inst:—Nos. 1 and 2 Companies 15pr. B.L Gun Drill at 7 a.m. at Headquarters.

Thursday 31st inst:—Lecture by Major W. Maxwell, R.G.A., at 6-45 p.m. entitled.

"EVOLUTION OF THE GUN."

No. 3 COMPANY, KIRKEE, 1915-15.

Rifle Drill:—Arsenal Section:—Tuesdays and Fridays at 3-30 p.m.

Factory Section.—Tuesday and Fridays at 5-45 p.m

Gun Drill:—Arsenal Section:—Mondays and Thursdays at 3-30 p.m.

Factory Section:—Mondays and Thursdays at 5-45 p.m.

These competitions will take place on Sunday the 10th September 1916 commencing 8 a.m.

All entries to be sent in to the C.S.M. Instr. by31st August 1916.

All members who have joined this season will have to make themselves efficients before they receive any prizes.

(Sd.) P. H. Retallack, Capt.
Adjutant, Bombay Volunteer Artillery.

NOTICE.

A Meeting of the Committee of the Rifle Association will be held at Headquarters on Tuesday the 29th instant at 7 p.m.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLES.

Regimental Orders by the Hon'ble Lieut.-Colonel P. R. Cadell, C.I.E., Commanding.
Aug. 28.

293. Battalion Duties.—Orderly Sergeants will be furnished by "F" Co. during week ending 2nd proximo. Next for Duty "G" Co. Officers Commanding Companies should send in a list of N. C. Officers detailed to Headquarters by Monday mid-day each week.

294. Ranges.—The Range at Ghat Kopar is allotted for Class Firing as follows:—

"K" Company.—Thursday, 31st instant.

"J" Company.—From Friday, 1st to Monday, 11th September, both days inclusive. Train leaves Victoria Terminus at 6-15 a.m.

The Miniature Range will be open from 7 to 9 a.m. and from 6 to 8 p.m. on week days except Saturday evenings.

Detail as follows:—

"B" Company.—Monday and Friday mornings and Tuesday evenings.

"C" and "D" Companies.—Monday evenings.

"E" and "F" Companies.—Friday evenings.

"G" Company.—Tuesday and Thursday mornings and Wednesday evening.

"J" Company.—Wednesday and Saturday mornings and Thursday evening.

All Companies should complete Elementary Musketry by the end of September.

295. Recruits.—There are new vacancies in the Corps for suitable men. Intending recruits should apply to the Officer Commanding the Company, they wish to join. Recruits drills have commenced.

"G" Company.—Company Parade on Tuesday, 29th instant, and Thursday, 31st instant.

Fall in at the Gymkhana at 7-15 a.m. Dress.—Shirts and Shorts.

Recruits will attend these parades.

Bayonet Fighting.—Men detailed for Bayonet Fighting will attend the abovenoted Co. parades.

Maxim Gun Section.—Parade at Headquarters on Tuesday, 29th and Friday, 1st proximo at 7-15 a.m.

298. The following extract from "Gazette of India," Army Department No. 925, dated 11th August, 1916, is re-published for information:—

James McGrath to be Second-Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated the 15th July, 1916.

299. With reference to above, 2nd-Lieut. J. McGrath is posted to "B" Company with effect from 15th July, 1916.

300. The following is re-published for information:—

War Office, July 27th, 1916. His Majesty the King has been graciously pleased to approve of the award of the Distinguished Conduct Medal to the following Non-Commissioned Officer for acts of gallantry and devotion to duty in the field:—

No. 65, Lance-Corpl. M. Fox, I. V. M. G. Company.

301. Casualties.—The Commanding Officer regrets to announce that Lieut. H. B. Murray has been killed in action, while holding a Commission in a Service Battalion of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders.

He further regrets to announce the death in Bombay on August 23rd, of No. 8743, Vol. E. H. Mulreney, "A" Company.

The abovementioned Officer and man have accordingly been struck off the strength with effect from August 1st and 23rd respectively.

302. Enrolments.—The undernamed having been enrolled are taken on the strength of the Corps and posted to Companies as follows:—

No. 8954 Vol. H. Flaig, "B" Company.
No. 9014, Vol. A. V. Goodchild, "J" (Scots) Company.
No. 9015, Vol. E. J. C. Herring, "J" (Scots) Company.

303. Promotions and Appointments.—The Commanding Officer is pleased to make the following promotions and appointments in "G" Co. from 22nd August, 1916:—

No. 8126, Lance-Sergt. R. D. England, to be Sergeant.

No. 6366, Lance-Corpl. H. E. Crawshaw, to be Acting Corporal.

No. 8790, Vol. R. C. Adams, to be Lance-Corporal.

No. 7714, Vol. P. F. Benton, to be Lance Corporal.

No. 8148, Vol. A. T. Godsford, to be Lance-Corporal.

No. 7802, Vol. S. E. White, to be Lance Corporal

(Sd.) C. N. MOBERLY, Major,
Adjutant, Bombay Volunteer Rifles.

NOTICE.

Boxing.

A Boxing Class is held every Thursday from 6-30 to 7-30 p.m. at the Volunteer Club. An Instructor has been engaged. All members of the Club are eligible to attend without any further subscription.

POONA VOLUNTEER RIFLES.

Corps Orders by Lieut.-Colonel G. K. Walker, C.I.E., Commanding Poona Volunteer Rifles.

Poona, Aug. 28.

800—Drill and Instruction.—Parades for the week ending 2nd September, 1916:—

At Headquarters:—

"A" Company, Monday at 7-15 a.m. Drill order, Shirts.

Recruits, Tuesday, at 5-30 p.m.

"B" Company, Wednesday, at 7-30 a.m. Drill order.

Buglers, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday, at 5-30 p.m.

Signallers, Thursday at 5-30 p.m.

First Aid Class, Thursday at 6-30 p.m.

Battalion Parade, Friday at 7-15 a.m. for a Field Exercise. Drill order, Shirts. Coats are to be brought.

Every member residing at Poona or Kirkee must attend unless granted leave of absence by his Company Officer.

All members possessing motor cycles or motor cars should bring them Motors will parade at 7 a.m.

At the Engineering College—

"E" Company, Wednesday, at 5-30 p.m.

At the Central Gymnasia—

Physical Training Class, Tuesday and Thursday, at 7 a.m. Running kit.

At Satara—

Machine Gun Parade, Tuesday and Saturday, at 5 p.m.

At Ahmednagar—

Gun drill, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at 8-30 a.m.

801—Musketry.—The Rifle Range will be open for Class Firing at 7-30 a.m. daily except Thursdays and Sundays until further orders. Members wishing to fire should send in their names to the Headquarter Office, two days beforehand.

Miniature Rifle Club, Ladies' matches 1 to 4, Gentlemen's 4, 5 and 6, Monday and Wednesday at 7-30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

(Sd.) C. GRAHAM-SMITH, Capt.,
for Adjutant, Poona Vol. Rifles.

STRING BAND AT THE BYCULLA MECHANICS INSTITUTE.

By kind permission of Colonel T. W. Bonner V. D. and Officers, the Band of the 1st Battn., G.I.P. Ry. Volunteers, will play a programme of music this evening under the direction of Mr. Hugh B. Mitchell Band Master, commencing at 6-15 p.m.

CHINA MAILS.

The P. and O. s.s. Novara with the China and Australia Mails is expected to arrive in Bombay at 8 a.m. on Tuesday the 29 instant.

HOMEWARD MAILS.

The P. and O. Company's s.s. Kashmir with the homeward Mails of the 21st instant arrived at Aden at 4 a.m. yesterday.

ENGLISH MAILS

The P. and O. Company's s.s. Arabia with the outward Mails of the 11th instant is expected to arrive in Bombay at 5 p.m. on Wednesday next.

DEATH OF MR SHAPUR BHEDWAR,

The death is announced of Mr. Shapur N. Bhedwar, the well-known photographer of Bombay. He had had the honour of having been given a sitting by the H. R. H. the late Duke of Edinburgh. He was the only Indian invited to attend the World's Photographic Congress held a few years ago in the United States of America.

BOMBAY POLICE COURTS.

A SUSPICIOUS CHARACTER SENTENCED.

DISOBEYING COMMISSIONER'S ORDER TO LEAVE BOMBAY.

At the Esplanade Police Court, on Saturday, before the Chief Presidency Magistrate, Sub-Inspector Chimanlal Dave charged one Gopal Hemraj alias Nanji Gopal, Alias Sanji Hansraj, under Section 128 (4) of 1904, of the Bombay City Police Act. Superintendent Walker conducted the prosecution, while Mr. Vijayakar defended the accused

The case for the prosecution was that in June last Sub-Inspector Chimanlal received information that a gang of house-breakers and gamblers, headed by the accused, were loitering in C. Division and were trying to evade the clutches of the law and were causing danger to the public safety. They were arrested and placed before Mr. Vincent, Commissioner of Police, who after going through the evidence, directed their removal out of Bombay, under the powers vested in him under Section 27 of Act 4 of 1902, and ordered Superintendent Walker to serve the members of the gang with notices that they should leave Bombay within a week. On the 24th instant the accused was found in Bombay in spite of the order and notice, and he was arrested, when it was found that he had returned to Bombay without a written permission from the Commissioner of Police

The accused pleaded guilty.

The Magistrate said the order made by the Commissioner was legal, and by disobeying it the accused had committed an offence under Section 128 (4) of 1902. He sentenced the accused to six months' rigourous imprisonment.

SHIP'S ENGINEER ASSAULTED WITH IRON BAR.

FIREMAN SENTENCED.

At the Esplanade Police Court, on Saturday, before the Chief Presidency Magistrate, Sergeant Naden charged Nawab Bawal, a fireman, with voluntarily causing hurt to Mr. H. J. Farthing, by means of a dangerous weapon, namely an iron bar.

It was alleged that the accused, who is a fireman on board the hospitalship Loyalty left the engine room and came on to the deck, on the 22nd instant saying the engine room was very hot. Mr. Farthing, who is third engineer on the ship, told him to go back to the engine room and attend to his duties. The accused went to the engine room, but soon after came up again and when told to go down he assaulted Mr. Farthing with an iron bar.

The accused was convicted and sentenced to six months' rigorous imprisonment and a fine of Rs. 20.

CRUEL ASSAULT ON A GIRL.

FOUR WOMEN SENTENCED.

At the Mazagaon Police Court, the Fourth Presidency Magistrate has disposed of a case in which Inspector Smith charged Revoobai, Luxmi, Bhimi and Shivi, Hindu women, with causing grievous hurt to and wrongfully confining a girl named Sitabai.

It appeared from the evidence that Sitabai lived in Revoobai's house in Suklaji Street with the other accused. On the 22nd instant a quarrel ensued between them and Revoobai assaulted Sitabai with an iron blow-pipe. The other accused also joined in the assault, with the result that Sitabai got a pair of black eyes and two of her teeth were knocked out. They then placed Sitabai under a water-tap and the water was turned on her for about an hour. The Police was informed of this and when they raided the house Sitabai was found under the tap.

All the accused pleaded guilty. The first accused was sentenced to six months' rigorous imprisonment. The second, third and fourth were fined Rs. 50, Rs. 15 and Rs. 15 respectively.

A VEXATIOUS CHARGE.

COMPLAINANT FINED.

The Fourth Presidency Magistrate at Mazagaon, gave decision in the case in which Haji Ibrahim Haji Noor Mahomed charged Haji Hassam Haji Dada and his wife Fatma bai with criminal breach of trust in regard to a sum of Rs. 167.

Mr. M. K. Azad was for the complainant and Mr. S. B. Kapadia for the accused.

It was alleged for the prosecution that the accused falsely charged the complainant Rs. 167 as the amount of the Municipal bill paid on his behalf for the property mortgaged with Fatmabai.

On behalf of the defence it was conclusively proved that the amount was paid by the firm of Solicitors who were acting on behalf of the purchaser of the property which was ultimately sold by public auction and the complainant had brought the charge without making any enquiries in the matter.

The Magistrate acquitted the accused and fined the complainant Re. 1 for bringing a vexatious charge.

CRUICKSHANK ROAD MOTOR FATALITY.

INQUEST OVER DEAD BODY OF A BOY ACTOR.

The Coroner resumed the enquiry on Saturday morning into the death of Kanayalal Mohun aged 13, an actor at the Gaiety Theatre, who was knocked down on the Cruickshank Road on the 9th instant by a motor car belonging to Mr. Mharamdas Bhagwandas, and who died the same night at the G. T. Hospital. Evidence was led by Superintendent Canty. Mr. Balubhai T. Desai appeared for Mr. Dharamdas, and Mr. R. S. Pandit watched the proceedings on behalf of the deceased's father.

Ratanlal Mohanlal, a Theatre boy, deposed there he was going on the evening in question with the deceased and some other boys to the Theatre. They were crossing the Theatre side, and there were two tram cars on the road going in the opposite direction. They commenced to cross after the cars had passed, and the accused was walking a step ahead of the witness. After the tram cars had passed a victoria came travelling towards Dhobi Talao. The victoria passed them and they began to cross and they saw no other vehicle. A motor car came from Bori Bunder travelling towards Dhobi Talao, but the deceased did not see it coming. The horn of the car was not sounded and it came fast. The deceased, who was crossing, received a knock and fell beside the car. The body of the car went over him. The car was stopped by some people and it stopped after travelling 25 or 30 paces. At the moment of the impact witness was four or five paces behind the deceased. The car had its lamps lighted and when witness went up to the deceased he did not speak. A Parsi came and picked up the deceased and he was taken in the car.

Questioned by Mr Desai witness said it was dark at the time of the occurrence. He saw a tram car standing and they passed that car. There were many boys with the witness. The first lot of boys had passed the tram car. Deceased and witness stopped with others to allow the tram car to pass and they crossed behind the tram. Meanwhile, the first lot of boys had reached the foot path and then a victoria came. It was two and half paces from the tram line on the Maidan side. When the victoria passed they started to cross. Just then the motor car came and the deceased running bumped into the front right hand mudguard. Witness really saw all this happening. The boy was running, he was not in a hurry to reach the Theatre. Witness saw the wheels of the car pass over the deceased.

Further inquiry was adjourned.

BOMBAY AMUSEMENTS.

EXCELSIOR THEATRE.

PERFORMANCE IN AID OF THE UNION JACK CLUB.

The appeal for help for the benefit of the Union Jack Club is meeting with steady support and a specially big effort will be made next Thursday and Friday by the local musical talent of Bombay, both professional and amateur, to swell the funds for this useful institution. An enormous programme both in the way of variety and numbers has been got together which will embrace various items of entertainment. Artistic and pretty tableau are being arranged by Mrs. Ashton Street and Mrs. E. V. Watson. Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Binning are presenting their popular little party 'The Bombay Pierrots.'" The Naval Contingent will have a strong party in chorous songs. Miss Maggy May, Mr. Frank Haskell, Miss Hilda Marlert and Mr. Rex Anderson of the Excelsior Varieties are giving special numbers. The whole performance will conclude with Cutlass Drill in conjunction with a patriotic tableau representing "The Battle of Jutland." The plan has been opened at Messrs. Rose and Co.

ROYAL OPERA HOUSE.

Enthusiastic audiences applauded the new cinema programme at the Royal Opera House last evening, and there is no doubt that a better bill has not been presented in Bombay for a considerable time.

The feature film, in five parts, is called "The Target," with the celebrated screen actor Mr. Hobart Bosworth in the leading part. Based on the remark of one of the characters that "true friendships are rare" it shows how "friend" after "friend" fails a man, and in the end he finds his own mother alone true among all the people with whom he has come into contact. The great scene of the picture is when Brent and Taylor escape from an American jail and use many ruses and disguises before they get clear over the Canadian border and out into the wilds of British Columbia. The dramatic moments are wonderfully developed, and the photography is perfect.

There is a great difficulty nowadays in finding really good short comedies. The one at the Royal Opera House this week is far above the average, for it has a distinct plot and is well acted. It is called "The Lion's Breath."

Appropriate music has been selected and the whole entertainment is emphatically one to be seen.

THE RADIANT CRICKET CLUB.

A SUCCESSFUL CONCERT.

A very enjoyable singing concert was given by the Kirloskar Sangit Mandali under the auspices of the Radiant Cricket Club on Tuesday night at Hirabag before an audience of nearly 250 ladies and gentlemen when Mrs. Bhadrabai Madgaokar was in the chair.

The performance was a great success and the interest of the audience was maintained throughout.

Mr. S. V. Shirgaokar, the Treasurer of the Club, expressed his thanks to the audience for their kind attendance and the Kirloskar Sangit Mandali for their praiseworthy singing performance. The proceedings were then brought to a close by a song from Mr. Kolhapure.

SCHOOL HOURS IN BARODA STATE.

To THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—Have the goodness to find some space in an issue of the "Chronicle."

From the 1st of this month the Minister of Education, Baroda State, has issued orders that school hours for boys there shall be from 11 to 5, without there being any interval for recess. His order for girls is 7 to 10 (A.M.), and 2 to 5 (P.M.).

This improvement on the old time has evoked protests from all classes of Baroda State people; and as far as Mahomedan boys are concerned there will be, under the new system, no time left for them for mid-day prayers. Besides making young children sit six hours at a stretch in the class rooms, without any interval for recreation, is hardship in itself. Another thing that I would urge against the new times is that parents would not like to send their daughter alone—the boys having a different time—to school. The result, if this time system is persisted in, will be that girl education in Baroda State will soon see its death-day. I hope and trust the Minister responsible for this state of things will see his way to revert to the old system, and thereby ease the mind of the Baroda State public.—Yours, etc.

A. K. SHAIKH.

Bombay, Aug. 25.

BREACH ON THE B. B. & C. I. RAILWAY REPAIRED.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

AHMEDABAD, Aug. 26.

The District Traffic Superintendent of the B. B. and C. I. Railway at Ahmedabad wires:—The line between Sanni and Jambuzar has been repaired and through communication restored from to-day.

POONA RACES.

RESULTS AND DETAILS.

The following are the detailed results of Saturday's racing at Poona. A descriptive account appears in our Sunday Edition:—

THE KOREGAON PLATE. Division III.—Distance 6 Furlongs.

Yuvaraja of Mysore's PESHWA, 8-6, Purtoosingh 1
Haji Ahmed's SHAILAN, 8-5, Harrison 2
Abdul Karrim Esah's DARTMOOR, 7-10, Mujid 3
Miss H. F. Petit's ROSY MORN, 8-10, Buckley 4

Also Ran:—Jemadar 9-1, Ivanhoe 8-12, Romano 8-10, Raven 8-9, White Star, 8-5, Active 8-5, Shatra 8-0, India 7-12 (cd. 8-0), Pagan 7-12, (cd. 7-13), Vadhia 7-7, Platinum 7-5, Alleppy 7-5, Crisis 7-5.

The Race:—There was a fairly good start and Peshwa at once showed out in front of a close running group till they came to home turn, where Crisis for a brief space showed in the second place, but after that collapsed and in the straight Shailan and later Dartmoor made vigorous efforts to get on terms with the leader, who, however, maintained the lead to the end and won by one length, the same, and two lengths.

Time:—1 min. 22 secs.

Totes Paid:—Winner, Rs. 30-8. Places, Rs. 16-8, Rs. 34 and Rs. 33.

THE KOREGAON PLATE. Division II.—Distance 6 Furlongs.

Mr. Gahagan's REVIVOR, 8-10, Trenoweth 1*
Nasir Rajmamed's PRESENT, 8-5, Bowley 1*
Mr. Sheik Ismail's ADVANCE, 8-5, Purtoosingh 3
Mr. Heath's SUBBIAYA, 8-5, Hardy ... 3
*Dead Heat.

Also Ran:—Royalist 9-0, Justice 8-11, Portugal 8-11, American Spot 8-11, Hudban 8-9, Garibaldi 8-7, Coromandel 8-5, England 8-1, Tawakul 8-1, Bayonet 8-0.

The Race:—With a good start Revivor early drew to the front and soon held a clear lead of the rest. Then turning into straight Present came out of the ruck and made a determined effort by which he steadily diminished the lead of Revivor and finally caught up in the last few strides and made a dead-heat. Half length and three lengths separated the dead-heat, the third and the fourth.

Time:—1 min. 24 secs.

Totes Paid:—Winner, Rs. 24 on Revivor; Rs. 17-8 on Present. Places, Rs. 16-8, Rs. 23 and Rs. 32.

THE BANGALORE PLATE.—Distance 1 Mile

Maharaja of Patiala's RED DUKE, 7-4 (cd. 7-6), Buckley 1
Mr. Hannyngton's KESTREL II, 9-5, W. Southall 2
Yuvaraja of Mysore's TANGO III, 9-5, Purtoosingh 3
Mr. Ali Mahomed Sait's MERCURY, 7-13, Bowley 4

Also Ran:—Lucky Maid 9-12, Lady Diana 8-3, Black Prince 7-11 (cd. 7-12), Apple King 7-3.

The Race:—They got away to a perfect start and shortly Lucky Maid led out, followed by Lady Diana. Then, just before reaching the home turn the field closed up and as it swung into the straight Red Duke and Kestrel drew to the front and from half distance Red Duke shook off Kestrel and came in an easy winner by two and half lengths, one length and neck.

Time:—1 min. 50 secs.

Totes Paid:—Winner, Rs. 20. Places, Rs. 13, Rs. 15 and Rs. 12-8.

THE AUGUST PLATE. Division II.—Distance 1 Mile.

Aga Cochick Shah's PARTIAL ECLIPSE, 9-9, Ringstead 1
Mr. D. Pallonjee's DECORUM. 8-2, W. Southall 2
Genl. Nawabzada Khan's ST. ALBAN, 7-9, Collis 3
Mr. M. Goculdass' EORGIE, 7-4, Purtoosingh 4

Also Ran:—Flamen 9-10, Penny Pie 9-10, Romanesque 9-8, Wavestar 9-8, Aubrey 9-7, Motor Wrap 9-5, Castle Vite 9-5, Adelaide III 8-3, Kit Grey Leg 7-3, Lord Robert 7-0.

The Race:—Penny Pie gave some trouble at the post, but finally the whole field were sent away on excellent terms. Penny Pie came to the front and shortly was joined by Wavestar and these two kept in front till at four furlongs the field closed up and as they turned into the straight St. Alban and Partial Eclipse showed out and shortly were joined by Decorum and there was a splendid race home. Partial Eclipse won by a head, three-quarter length and neck separated the other placed ones.

Time:—1 min. 45 secs.

Totes Paid:—Winner, Rs. 213-8 Places, Rs. 88, Rs. 81-8 and Rs. 31.

THE CHINCHWAD PLATE.—Distance 1½ Miles.

Mr. Heath's MAKBUL, 8-11, Hardy 1
Mr. S. A. Wahed's BLACK HUSSAR, 8-5, Buckley 2
The Jam Sahib's BIGLIG, 8-0, Bowley .. 3
Mr. Ahmed Hazamy's INVESTMENT, 7-7, Ebrahim 4

Also Ran:—Ruby Mine 9-9, Mooltan 9-7, Malacca 9-4, Solar Star 8-12, Erimo 8-7, Ali Baba 8-3, Newington (late Sweden) 8-0, Bruce 8-0, Powerful 7-8, Black Ivory 7-4 (cd. 7-6), Hurchan 7-4 (cd. 7-6).

The Race:—Powerful swung round at the start and all the rest got away on good terms. Then Ali Baba went to the front and out running with Black Ivory lying next and from the mile these two were abreast in front. Then from four furlongs the field began to close up and Makbul led round into the straight, closely followed by Biglig, Black Hussar and Investment and these four made a great race home, Makbul staying them outwinding just by a head, one length and one and a half lengths.

Time:—2 mins. 54 3/5 secs.

Totes Paid:—Winner, Rs. 21. Places, Rs. 47 and Rs. 24.

THE AUGUST PLATE, Division I.—Distance 1 Mile.

Mr Pitt's TRIPLE ALLIANCE, 7-9, Lynch 1
Mr. M. Goculdass' YUAN, 8-2, W. Huxley 2
Mr. Wilton Bartleet's SANTA BARBARA, 9-12, Trenowth 3*
Maharaja of Gwalior's VIDI, 8-1, Trahan 3*
Dead-Heat.

Also Ran:—Le Soleil 9-4, Matchless Maud 9-1, Kenilworth (late Clicquot) 8-13, Martinet 8-12, Miss Drake 8-3, Madrina 8-1, Tartania 8-3, Sparkes 7-11 (cd. 7-13).

The Race:—They got off on good terms and Santa Barbara showed out for a brief space, then Triple Alliance came to the front, closely attended by Vidi and these two practically were in front to the home turn, where, though the field closed up, these two were in front. Triple Alliance here holding clear lead and going on won by a clear three lengths. Then in the front members' lawn Santa Barbara, Yuan and Martinet came up to Vidi and made desperate race for second place, which was secured by Yuan by a neck, while a short head separated the third and the fourth and perhaps the fifth.

Time:—1 min. 44 secs.

Totes Paid:—Winner, Rs. 502. Places, Rs 86-8, Rs. 15 and Rs. 19 on St. Barbara and Rs. 18-8 on Vidi.

THE MAGDALA PLATE.—Distance 1 Mile.

Mr. Roosi's EXCELSIOR, 7-8, Lynch 1
Mr. A. Nanjee's ACE OF HEARTS, 7-12, Purtoosingh 2
Genl. Nawabzada Obaidulla Khan's SOOMSAM, 8-6, Bowley 3
Mr. R. R. S.'s ZAMIL PASHA, 8-12, Purrin 4

Also Ran:—Balon 9-6, Beyrut 9-6, Money Gold 9-3, Malacca 7-11, Black Hussar 6-10.

The Race:—Out of a level let-off Ace of Hearts took a clear lead of Soomsam, but after two furlongs they were racing abreast and kept in front till the field turned into the straight, where Excelsior challenged the leaders and finally drew away and won by one and a half lengths; half length and neck.

Time:—1 min. 53 1/5 secs.

Totes Paid:—Winner, Rs. 49. Places, Rs. 23½ and Rs. 38.

THE KOREGAON PLATE. Division I.—Distance 6 Furlongs.

Mr. S. A. Wahed's OSPREY, 8-2, Buckley 1
Mr. A. Nanjee's ACE OF ROYALS, 9-6, W. Southall 2
Khan Bahadur Ismail Hassan Khan's OXFORD, 8-6, Bowly 3
Mr. Brigstocke's SUBEH PASHA, 8-0, Trahan 4

Also Ran:—Tawakul 9-2, Snood 9-2, Ben Hur 8-12, Sherali 8-11, Jiwan 8-8, Lightning 8-5, Nassau 8-5, Challenger 8-4, Emad Pasha 8-4, Najdi 8-4, Murpho 8-1, Shimram 8-0, Rommes 8-0, Paradise 7-13.

The Race:—They were sent away on perfect terms, when Ace of Royals led out from Sherali and though Sherali fell back half way, Ace of Royals was first into the straight with Oxford close up. Then, from a distance Osprey and Subeh Pasha made their effort and in the front members' enclosure Osprey challenged the leaders and getting in front won by one lenth, short head and one length.

Time:—1 min. 23 1/5 secs.

Totes Paid:—Winner, Rs. 75. Places, Rs. 20, Rs. 79-8 and Rs. 21.

QUADRANGULAR CRICKET.

PARSI TEAM SELECTED.

The Parsi Selection Committee met yesterday at the Parsi Gymkhana Pavilion, Kennedy Sea Face, when the following were selected to play for the Parsis against the Mahomedans in the first match of the Quadrangular Cricket contest, commencing on September 4:—

(1) Dr. H. D. Kanga (capt.).
(2) Mr. J. S. Warden.
(3) Mr. B. H. Mirza.
(4) Mr. M. D. Parekh.
(5) Mr. H. F. Mulla.
(6) Mr. R. P. Meherhomji.
(7) Mr. D. K. Kapadia.
(8) Mr. D. D. Driver.
(9) Mr. S. M. Chothia.
(10) Mr S. N. Gandhi.
(11) Mr. H. J. Vajifdar.

Bowling Reserve: Mr. J. Elavia.
Batting Reserve: Mr. J. Elchidana.
Umpire: Mr. R. B. Reddy.
Scorer: Mr. M. J. Divecha.

The team is the same as forecasted in Saturday's issue of the "Chronicle." All the members of it have at one time or another played for the Parsis in big international matches. In case Mr. Mulla is unable to play, Mr. P. J. Chinoy will keep wicket instead.

CRICKET IN BOMBAY.

ZINGARI CLUB V. E. D. SASSOON C. C.

Played on the Oval on Saturday resulting in a win for the former, by 93 runs. Appended are the scores:—

E. D. SASSOON'S C. C.

Raichura 0, Netscher 17, Cohen 0, Chinoy 0, Isaacs 9, Cohen 4, Thanawalla (not out) 0, Batiji 1, Shette 0, Lester 3, Wilson 7, extras 7. Total 39.

ZINGARI CLUB.

Peterson 0, Lynn 12, Ardaseon 25, Strobel 13, Fergusson 2, Hogan 21, Rockley 20, Harwood 2, Baker 13, J. Hykoop (not out) 16, Hykoop 0, extras 8. Total 132.

COMMERCIAL.

LATEST CABLE QUOTATIONS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

AMERICAN MARKETS.

New York, Aug. 26th.

Day's Receipts at all U. S. Ports	15,000
Day's Exports to Great Britain	12,0000
Day's Exports to Continent	1,000
Futures at New York October	15.80 15.42
" January	15.91 15. 8
Spot Cotton at New York	15.80 15.85
" at New Orleans	15.30 15.19
Futures at New Orleans October	15.42 15.36
" January	15.72 15.63
Fair Rio Coffee (No. 7 quality)	9⅜
Demand Bills	4.75.75
Silver Commercial Bars	66 1/8

MONEY MARKET.

London, Aug. 26th.

Bar Silver Spot	31 5/8
Close Tone of Silver market	Quiet, featureless.
Discount, Bank of England Rate 6 per cent. since 13th ultimo.	
Discount Bank Bills 3 m/st	5 5/8
" Indian Bank Bills 6 m/st	5 13/16
" Fine Trade Bills 3 months	6⅝
" " " 6 "	6⅝
Interest day to day loans	5½
" 7 day market loans	5½
Consols 2½%	59⅝
Rupee Paper 3½ % (Nominal)	49½
Indian Stock 3½% (Sterling Loan)	70⅝
Government Securities 3 o/o	60⅝

WAR LOANS

LONDON, Aug. 26.

On London at Paris, France. 28.11

EXCHANGE.

3½ per cent. 1925—1928	£86¼
4½ per cent. 1925—1945	£96 3/8

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

London, Aug. 26th.

WHEAT.

Wheat Choice White Karachi, per 492 lbs. C.I.F. Sept.-Oct. Sellers	73

SOUTH AMERICAN.

Barletta Russo—62 lbs Aug.-Sept. Sellers	68/6

BARLEY.

Karachi Barley, August-Sept. Nominal	52/9

SEEDS.

Rapeseed, Ferozepore Usual Bold Sept.-Oct. Sellers	68/6
Rapeseed, Brown, Cawnpore 416 lbs. ex-Ship July-Aug. Nominal	60
Linseed Bombay per 416 lbs. ex-Ship Aug.-Sept. Sellers	78/9
Tora Rapeseed Sept.-Oct. Sellers	60

COTTONSEED.

Bombay Cottonseed (equal to delivered per ton) July-Aug. Mali Nominal	£13.0.0

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Standard Copper G. M. B. Nominal	£110
Copper Braziers	£137
Yellow Metal	142
Hard Spelter	44
Tin Plates I.C. Coke 14 × 20, 112 sheets per box weighing 90lbs. C.I.F. Liverpool	18/9
Iron Corrugated Sheets 24 gauge G.O.B. 4 per cent. F.O.B. Liverpool	£26/5/0
Pig Iron No. 1, Garsherrie	£5-4-0

FREIGHT.

Coals:—Cardiff to Bombay Canal. Nominal

RUBBER.

Para Rubber:—Fine hard cure Aug.-Sept. Buyers	2/11½
Plantation First Latex Crepe September Buyers	2/3½

London, Aug. 24th.

LINSEED.

Linseed Calcutta Sept.-Oct. Paid	77

JAVA SUGAR.

Raw Java Nos. 16/18 C. & F. Calcutta, Sep.-Dec. Value	22/9
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The Success of
Patrick MacGill

¶ Patrick MacGill's leap into fame as a writer of the realistic school has been one of the literary events of recent years. Three years ago he was unknown, now his name and work are familiar to readers throughout the English-speaking world.

¶ "CHILDREN OF THE DEAD END" was a literary sensation. The autobiography of a navvy was something new and strange to the reading public, and ten thousand copies were called for within fifteen days of publication.

¶ Born in Donegal of Irish peasants, Patrick MacGill is now in his twenty-sixth year. He started life at nine years of age as a potato-digger in the North of Scotland. He then became a farm-hand, labourer, tramp, drainer, and navvy in turn, and all these phases of his life are described with great power in his autobiography ("Children of the Dead End").

¶ In his spare time he wrote poems and studied to such effect that he was soon able to translate from the French and German. A little paper-covered book entitled "Songs of a Navvy" (a collector recently offered a guinea for a copy) and published by himself, was his first venture. An article, scribbled in pencil on a piece of dirty paper in a navvy-shack, found its way to the editor of a London paper, who immediately sent for MacGill and gave him a post on his staff.

¶ At the beginning of September, 1914, Patrick MacGill enlisted in the London Irish Rifles, and has been at Givenchy, Guinchy, Festubert, Grenay, and many other places, and was finally wounded at Loos in September last. "The Red Horizon" was written entirely in the trenches.

¶ Of Patrick MacGill's latest book, THE GREAT PUSH, the first British Edition consists of 25,000 copies. In it he tells of one of the most thrilling episodes in the Great War—the story of Loos.

Patrick MacGill has just written a series of six vivid word pictures of life at the Front entitled:
"From the Trenches"
The sole right of publication for these remarkable productions of this literary genius in India has been secured by the
"Sunday Chronicle"
in the colums of which journa their publication will shortly commence.

THE BOMBAY CHRONICLE.
Monday, August 28th, 1916.

A LESSON IN CO-OPERATION.

The Resolution of the Government of India, dated, Simla, 17th instant, on the report of Mr. Gubbay, the late Wheat Commissioner, will, we daresay, be read by the trade with profit and instruction. The report itself occupies thirty pages of the official gazette, besides a large number of most elaborate appendices and charts which are a tribute to the energy, ability, and, above all, of the commercial talent of the Commissioner, of whom any Government might be proud. It is divided into two parts, whereof the first is historical, relating at considerable length the general wheat policy inaugurated by the Indian Government in consultation with that at Home. The second part treats of the wheat scheme and operations conducted from April to October 1915, which embraces the entire period of exports from this country. It is a marvel of practical details and amply justifies the excellent selection the Imperial Government made for the purpose of successfully dealing with a great trade problem of a novel nature, so thickly interlaced with State finance. It shows how in a time of the greatest emergency and economic crisis, so far as the Punjab consumers were concerned, the State was able to interfere in matters of a staple trade with the utmost caution and circumspection, combined with commercial sagacity of a high order. We have no hesitation in asserting that the report will prove to contain some of the most valuable data of economic literature, worthy of serious study by economists of the entire civilised world.

It is needless here to recapitulate the general wheat policy adopted by the Indian Government at the commencement of 1915 as it is now too well-known. Moreover, our Finance Minister has very lucidly and ably explained the financial results in his Financial Statement. Taking the wheat scheme as a whole, it is observed in the Government of India Resolution, that the approximate net expenditure incurred in this country amounts to £4,634,156. This would leave a surplus of receipts in England of £132,211. Rightly says the Resolution: "much of the success of the scheme depended on the judgment shown in determining the Government purchase price from time to time and in fixing the maximum quantities up to which the firms were authorised to purchase." We may well imagine what anxious care and shrewd mercantile sagacity must have been demanded of the Commissioner in this important connexion when we recall the fact of the great element of speculation which had prevailed, especially among those who had bought wheat firsthand from the producers of the Punjab and were keen on selling the same to the Commissioner at high profits which had their influence to an alarming extent for a time on the retail trade for the mass of the consumers. A careful study of the movements of the grain on the railways, coupled with an accurate knowledge from various producing centres of the quantity available, through the Agricultural Department, showed the Wheat Commissioner how to purchase and how to regulate the market so that the consumers might obtain their domestic supplies at a reasonable price and yet allow free exports to England for the requirements of the Government there. It should not be forgotten that at one time last year the Government had a most anxious hour lest agrarian disturbances should arise from consumers full of sullen discontent for more than one reason.

As to the actual operations, it may be observed that ten firms of standing were selected as Government agents. Their remuneration in such capacity consisted solely of a commission, all profits arising from these operations being credited to Government account and actual cost of the wheat being paid by Government as well as the charges of railing, storing, handling and shipping at the port of shipment; also all trade discounts etc., were credited to Government. The Resolution observes: "The final figures as adjusted, subject to a settlement of payments due for godown rents and establishment charges, amount to Rs. 6,90,37,103, and it is a tribute to the efficient initial organisation devised by the Wheat Commissioner for the working of the system." Mr. Gubbay makes his warm acknowledgment to his able staff and specially to the services of Mr. A. C. McWatters, I.C.S. The mercantile community of India, trading in wheat, have only to study the very elaborate appendices teeming with a variety of details, in order to learn for themselves how far the Government, in time of a grave crisis, was able to deal with such a staple commodity of exports as wheat. If the governing authorities have learned a great deal from the wheat merchants, the latter, no doubt, have also learned what a perfect State organisation, controlled by an officer of the highest practical sagacity and grasp of economic problems, could achieve.

We are glad, therefore, to find the Government paying its tribute to Mr. Gubbay for the admirable work he had performed. "The report is a most valuable record of an entirely novel and very successful Government enterprise, and the Government of India desire to place on record their full appreciation of the eminent services rendered by Mr. Gubbay in connexion with the scheme." All honour to the Government for appreciating such service and all honour to the eminent servant of the State who has achieved for it such success in an enterprise "entirely novel." It is to be hoped that this wheat enterprise of the State will be remembered as a brilliant illustration of what can be accomplished by means of cooperation. A free interchange of views between the Government and the people, a full and fair exchange of knowledge and experience, and mutual trust and confidence, without any arrogance of class superiority,—these are the elements needed in all cooperation It is by co-operation of such a character that the interests of the State and the people in all matters, political and economic, social and educational, can be advanced with success. In this respect, we once more repeat, and repeat with emphasis, that the wheat policy of the Government of India is a great object lesson in the moral and material progress of India.

THE RALLI JUTE DEAL.

According to "Capital" the indignation in Calcutta at the Ralli jute deal is intense and widespread. It refers to the fact that attempts have been made in certain quarters to defend the job, or at any rate, excuse it, on the score that some of the Rallis are naturalised British subjects. The writer adds:—

I cannot help saying that if Ralli's were as British in sentiment as they pretend to be, they would avoid actions which they must know will give offence to people who do not suffer them gladly, because of the base ingratitude of their pro-German King and equally pro-German Army Council. They would seek a dignified obscurity and go about their profitable avocations discreetly and unaggressively. But both in business and in society they have adopted an attitude of aggressiveness. Hence their extreme unpopularity on the rialto and in the clubs from which they should long since have withdrawn. They do not invest money in Indian securities; they even refused to buy the debentures of the Bengal Club.

We suppose that next to Germany, there is no country in this war, in regard to whom the British Empire has reason to entertain stronger feelings of disgust than Greece, who has allowed herself to be led by her pro-German King into a course of treachery against the three Powers under whose protection she has lived, and to whom she owes her existence as a free State. There may be a large number of Greeks, here, as elsewhere, who are pro-Entente, but until the Greek people have repudiated the policy and actions of their present Government, and restored their country to a position of respect in the eyes of Britishers, it is monstrous that Greek firms and individuals should be favoured by the Government here or be encouraged to suppose that the strongest resentment does not exist against Greece and the Greeks. Anglo-India has been far too prone to take to its bosom any sort of alien who poses as an ally of the white man in this country. It is amazing to recall the readiness with which Germans were admitted to clubs and allowed to collar markets by questionable methods in pre-war days. It is hardly less amazing to remember that the firm of Ralli Brothers has always enjoyed an undue share of official favour in this country. It is not so very long ago that a member of this firm in Calcutta, a Greek subject, was allowed to hold the command of a volunteer corps in Calcutta. It is eminently satisfactory that English society in Calcutta seems to have awakened to the necessity of giving the cold-shoulder to inimical aliens, though it is not very creditable that the awakening only comes when the pocket is touched.

"THE TYRANNY OF SHAMS,"

It appears from the official report of parliamentary debates that the Right Hon. J. M. Robertson raised an important question on church parades in the House of Commons on 31st May last. He said:—

"Church parades involve religious compulsion on a number of men. Their own inclination would keep them out of these church parades, because they do not believe in the religion of the Church. I think that, as a matter of enquity, calls for the attention of the War Office. Early in the war I received a number of letters from Rationalists who referred to compulsion of this kind, and who said it was a very gratuitous infliction. They have offered their lives in the service of their country, and advantage was taken of that to compel them to undergo ceremonies and services with which they have no sympathy whatever. I replied to those letters roughly to this effect, that my correspondents were risking their lives, and, as I understood, it was extremely difficult to secure any alteration in the Army arrangements. I urged on them to waive this infliction that was put upon them, and, in fact, to submit to one sacrifice more. Now that we have universal compulsion, if you compel a man to serve in the Army the question arises: Have you any right to compel him to go to these church parades?"

That is an important question of wide significance. It will have to be realised by the military bureaucrats that when the Army ceases to be a small service of professional soldiers and becomes a great national organisation assimilating the whole manhood of the nation, autocratic control of the consciences of its members must be surrendered. Mr. Robertson put it to Mr. Tennant whether this compulsory attendance at church was not "an indefensible imposition" or "a religious disability" whatever phrase one may choose to use. "If it is urged," continued Mr. Robertson, that

"it is essential to the military efficiency of the Army, I shall venture respectfully to cast doubt on the suggestion. If any honourable member thinks that those compulsory church parades are of any service to religion from a religious point of view, I would respectfully suggest that they are greatly mistaken. The evidence that comes to us both from the Army and laymen is that all those compulsory religious services have an effect which is anything but serviceable to the cause of religion. I hardly expect that the Right Hon'ble gentleman is prepared to make a reform in this respect immediately, but I do urge on him to bring the matter before the War Office authorities, and, if possible to secure that conscientious objection in this matter shall be recognised, and that it shall be recognised that it is no part of military service proper to have men to go to church. The sooner the Army drops the theory that attendance at church is a military measure the better perhaps it will be for the Army." Not one person in a hundred will in these days of reasoned truth and liberty of conscience venture to assert that these parades are in any way beneficial even from the point of the cure of the soul of the persons compelled to attend them. It is a commonplace of political maxims that legislation has never made a nation moral. Nor for that matter can military church parades infuse morality in the barracks. Church parades is only one of the hundred instances of what Mr Joseph McCabe calls "the tyranny of shams." And the sooner such tyranny is removed the better for the free conscience of a free people like the English.

Notes of the Day.

Still crying over spilt milk.

What it is pleased to call "the emasculation of the Government of India Amendment Bill" is still rankling in the mind of "The Pioneer." It persists in the illusion that a "misconception existed as to the true bearing of the vital clauses of the measure" and says "that some at least of the misunderstanding might have been removed if it had been possible to have had explanations on the spot from a representative of the Indian Government." It goes on to make the remarkable suggestion that the Government of India should in future depute one of its higher officials to proceed to London "for the purpose of presenting its views whenever a really important bill is submitted to Parliament on its behalf." To whom this official is to offer his views,—whether he is to stump the country, be created a peer in order to join in the debates in the Lords, or to address the Speaker of the House of Commons from the bar, is not explained. But we may rest assured that if neither the Secretary of State nor the Under-Secretary, with the coaching of all their permanent officials and the sun-dried bureaucrats of Whitehall, cannot succeed in persuading Parliament that they have a good case, nobody ever will. And if the inspired explanations of the Bill offered by Simla to the public in this country, on this occasion, represent all there was to be said for it, such a mission, as is suggested, would certainly, on this occasion, have been wasted.

Wise words on Education.

There is a great deal of talk as regards the quality of education that is imparted to Indian students and would-be reformers over-zealously come forward with their schemes,—quite oblivious of the fact that while quality is an estimable thing and cannot be too much taken care of, what India wants at present is diffusion of education as widely as possible. In this connection, the very wise and opportune words of Mr. Justice Abdur Rahim uttered during the course of his speech on the occasion of the 73rd commemoration of the Achiayappa's charities at Madras last week may well be commended to the attention of these reformers. "Nowadays" he said:

"it is a fashion to decry older institutions... I am one of those brought up under the old system and I still fully believe that the old system has not only done great work but still has a great future before it. I am one of those who believe that education even though imperfectly imparted, is a pure blessing to mankind.' ...

And he laid his finger on the root problem of the day when he said that

"We should make every effort to remove all obstacles there may be in the way of those eligible students who want to pursue higher education."

The Origin of the Dreadnought

The reported loss of another of the four German battleships of the Nassau class—the Westfalen was admitted lost in the Horn Reefs fight—recalls the dramatic circumstances under which they were laid down in 1907. It was in 1904 that Lord Fisher, who was cognisant through the British Naval Attachés present in the Japanese fleet at Tshushima of the effect of heavy gun fire in that engagement, appointed a committee to reconsider the design of British warships in the light of the Far Eastern struggle. As a result there appeared in 1905 estimates "one battleship and three armoured cruisers," which subsequently became known as the all big gun battleship Dreadnought and the all big gun battle-cruisers of the Inflexible class. No word of the secret was breathed until the Dreadnought was launched in February, 1906, and the significance of Lord Fisher's step only became thoroughly realised as the battle-cruisers took the sea in the following year. Meanwhile Germany was proceeding calmly with the building of her new superannuated Deutschland type in imitation of the vessels with composite armaments which Great Britain had built continuously from the estimates of 1833 downwards. One of this type of vessels was actually commissioned by Germany after the Dreadnought, and one more, the Nassau, had been laid down at Wilhelmshaven as late as July 1906. In her case the plans were hastily changed when the truth regarding the Dreadnought became known, and she was the German's first all big gun ship, although she lacked many of the other improvements adopted in the Dreadnought.

Humours of German war quarrels.

An amusing story is told by the German socialist "Munchener Post" of an incident in the feuds between the "majority" and "minority" socialists in a certain large commercial city of Germany,—obviously Bremen. The patriotic "majority" is led by the secretary of the local organisation, while the "minority" has for its chief the local editor, who is also a member of the Reichstag. At one of the interminable meetings, in which the two sections were engaged in a deadly combat, a speaker from the "left" was hurling invectives at the secretary. He said: the secretary could well afford to preach a holding out policy, since he had in his house half a pig, bacon, ham, pickled beef, and about half a hundred-weight of smoked sausage. The indignation of the audience assumed colossal dimensions. Whereupon the editor tried to calm the public. He implored the comrades to discuss the matter without "personalities." There were enough explanations for the attitude of the patriots without imputing personal motives. The secretary, deeply touched at this intervention of his chief opponent, rose to thank him publicly for the loyal way in which he gave expression to his opposition, but thought that he could not well do otherwise, since they had slaughtered the incriminated pig in common, and the other half of it was hanging in the larder of the "Radical" member of the Reichstag! Tableau!

Prussian Exploitation of South Germany.

Dr. Heim, the head of the Bavarian Peasants' League, continues in the "Munchner Neueste Nachrichten" his exposure of the Prussian attempts to exploit South Germany. In one article he gives an entertaining account of the way in which the Prussian officials monopolise the various "War Societies" and "War Committees" which control internal trade. In another article he gives numerous proofs of the inaccuracy of the Prussian charges against Bavaria, and severely criticises the methods of other States. He points out that Bavaria now imports practically no cattle or pigs, while she nevertheless supplies pigs to the other States and has been unjustly compelled to supply more than her share of meat to the Army. The Prussian Press expresses horror at Dr. Heim's indiscreet disclosures "at a time when all Germans ought to stand together." An inspired telegram from Berlin to the "Frankfurter Zeitung" coolly suggests that the only way to end discussion and to promote "justice" is to sweep away all barriers and to establish identical regulations and identical rations for the whole Empire. But this, as Bavaria has proved, is precisely what the non-Prussian States are determined not to do.

German Praise of Khaki.

Herr George Degener, the "Court" war correspondent, describes in the "Kolnische Zeitung" some of the British prisoners he saw on the Western front. Their uniforms, he says

have undoubtedly much that is very practical. The chalk and lime of the trenches are certainly less visible on the British khaki cloth than on our grey, so that the Englishman after battle or long stay in the trenches looks much better than our field grey man or the blue-clad Frenchman. . . . All the leather and strap arrangements are excellent. . . . Many of them wore the new British steel helmet. The latter reminds one of Don Quixote's barber's bowl, but is not unbecoming, and, according to the prisoners, very practical. The fitting and fixing arrangements are particularly good.

BRITISH LOAN IN AMERICA.

OVER-SUBSCRIBED IN FORTY-EIGHT HOURS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
NEW YORK, Aug. 26.

The new British loan of fifty million sterling was over-subscribed in forty-eight hours and the lists will close to-day instead of on Monday.

THE WAR.

SUMMARY OF TELEGRAMS.

BULGARS RETREATING.

DEFEATED BY SERBS.

ALLIED GAINS ON THE SOMME.

ARAB PROCLAMATION.

The Serbians retook the hill dominating Lake Ostrovo and drove back the enemy half a mile in the Ostrovo sector. The Bulgarians delivered six counter-attacks north-west of Kukuruz. They were repulsed by the Serbians on the whole line. The enemy were sanguinarily defeated and are retreating continuously pressed by the Serbians whom they are resisting stubbornly.

The British destroyed three bridges in spite of Bulgarian opposition. Any Bulgarian hopes of enveloping the Allies at Salonika have been definitely frustrated.

There are signs that the impetuosity of the Bulgarian attack is weakening.

British progress on the Somme continues. Enemy trenches south of Thiepval and near the villages of Guillemont, Ginch and Martinpuich have been occupied where thus a permanent footing has been gained. Near Mouquet Farm the British made considerable progress and many enemy trenches were occupied along the Courcelette-Thiepval road.

Later messages state that the British attack at Thiepval was a model operation. It was preceded by a most intense bombardment over a small area.

The French are making steady advance and repulsed a violent enemy counter-attack on Hill 121, south of Maurepas with heavy losses.

The French capture of Maurepas and the British success at Thiepval are described as typical of the new Allied method of advancing piecemeal. This new Allied method of frontal and lateral attacks has reduced the losses by 75 per cent.

Repeated German attacks on the Verdun front failed. Twelve German aeroplanes were shot down.

The Turkish initiative on the Caucases front is on the verge of collapse.

Thirteen to sixteen Turkish Divisions are believed to be operating in the Erzinjan region against the Russians.

The Grand Sherif of Mecca has issued a proclamation to the Islam world denouncing the Young Turks for ruining Turkey and added that the Arab independence is complete and absolute.

British Naval aeroplanes on Friday morning bombed two enemy airship sheds near Namur.

General Smuts has occupied Kilossa in East Africa.

The situation in Mesopotamia is unchanged.

SERBIANS PUSH BACK BULGARIANS.

ENEMY SANGUINARILY DEFEATED.

SANGUINARY DEFEAT OF BULGARS.

RETREATING IN THE CENTRE.

CONTINUED PRESSURE BY SERBIANS.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)
PARIS, Aug. 27.

An official despatch from Salonika reports intermittent artillery firing on the right wing. British guns have been ceaselessly bombarding enemy positions on the left bank of the Struma.

The Bulgarians in our centre delivered six counter-attacks north-west of Kukuruz. They were repulsed by the Serbians on the whole line. The enemy were sanguinarily defeated and are retreating continuously pressed by the Serbians whom they are resisting stubbornly.

Fierce fighting continues on the left wing in the region of Ostrovo. The Serbians allowed the Bulgarians to approach to 150 yards from trenches and then opened a devastating fire and mowed the enemy down. Two hundred Bulgarian corpses were found in front of a single trench. Prisoners admit that the Serbian artillery indisputably dominates the Bulgarian.

SERBIANS RECAPTURE OSTROVO HILL.

BULGARIAN TIMIDITY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
SALONIKA, Aug. 25.

The news from the Serbian front is most satisfactory. The Serbians have retaken the hill dominating Lake Ostrovo and also made progress further north. There have been no important developments elsewhere.

The Bulgarians have hitherto shown no desire to but their heads against our defences. Apparently, they are more concerned to establish themselves in Greek Macedonia.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

THREE BRIDGES DESTROYED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Aug. 25.

A British official message from Salonika says, we destroyed three bridges on the 23rd instant in spite of Bulgarian opposition.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

SERBIANS REPULSE FIERCE COUNTER ATTACKS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
PARIS, Aug. 25.

It is officially stated that British cavalry patrols east of Lake Tahinos, outwitting the enemy, ascended the River Angesta on the 25th instant and destroyed several bridges.

The Bulgarians have not attacked Kavalla and Drama, which are still garrisoned by the Greeks.

There have been skirmishes in the direction of Mount Beles and Lake Doiran and rivers Struma and Varda. There was an artillery duel on the whole front.

The Serbians repulsed fierce Bulgarian counter-attaks north-west of Lake Ostrovo, taking several hundred prisoners.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

BULGARIANS DRIVEN BACK IN OSTROVO SECTOR.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
SALONIKA, Aug. 26.

The Serbians have not only repulsed the Bulgarians' attacks but driven back the enemy half a mile in the Ostrovo sector taking another hundred prisoners. There are signs that the impetuosity of Bulgarian attack is weakening. Their losses have been very heavy; over two hundred dead were found before one sector of the Serbian line.

ENEMY CAMPS BOMBED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Aug. 26.

An official Salonika despatch reports artillery activity on the Struma and Doiran fronts. Our aeroplanes bombed enemy camps south of Demirhissar.

DREAM OF ENVELOPING THE ALLIES.

BULGARIAN HOPES FRUSTRATED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
PARIS, Aug. 26.

Any Bulgarian hopes of enveloping Allies at Salonika have been definitely frustrated.

FIGHTING ROUND MAUREPAS.

VIOLENT GERMAN ATTACKS REPULSED.

ARTILLERY ACTIVITY IN VERDUN SECTOR.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
PARIS, Aug. 25.

This afternoon's communiqué says:—A violent enemy counter-attack on Hill 121 south of Maurepas was repulsed with heavy losses.

German attacks against Fleury and the Forest of Apremont failed utterly.

We have consolidated our new positions north and north-east of Maurepas. The enemy attacking Hill 121 was swept by artillery and machine-gun fire and was unable to approach our lines at any point. We have taken 350 prisoners here since yesterday.

The artillery has been very active on both sides in the region of Thiaumont Work.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

FRENCH SUCCESS AGAINST PRUSSIAN GUARDS.

HUN TROOPS FROM VERDUN SECTOR SENT TO THIEPVAL.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
PARIS, Aug. 25.

The success gained by the French yesterday was the more brilliant because it was obtained against the First Division of the Prussian Guard commanded by Prince Eitel Friedrich.

It is stated that the attack against the British south of Thiepval was made by two Bavarian regiments belonging to a division from Verdun.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

FIGHTING ON THE SOMME.

GERMAN ATTACKS REPULSED BY FRENCH.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
PARIS, Aug. 25.

A communiqué says, the bombardment of German works on the Somme continued. The number of yesterday's prisoners was six hundred.

A German night attack south-east of St. Mihiel was stopped by our fire. Another attack in Ailly Wood gained a lodgment in the advanced trenches, but was immediately driven out.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

REPEATED GERMAN ATTACKS FAIL.

TWELVE AEROPLANES SHOT DOWN.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)
PARIS, Aug. 26.

This afternoon's communiqué says:—

Repeated German attacks on the Verdun front failed. The day was disastrous for the German aeroplanes, twelve of which were shot down the French aviator, Nungesser, bringing down his eleventh enemy machine.

SEVERE ARTILLERY DUELS

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
PARIS, Aug. 27.

Last night's communiqué reported severe artillery duels on the Somme, especially north of Maurepas and west of Clery. There has been an intermittent cannonade elsewhere which has been very violent in the Thiaumont-Fleury sector.

M. VENEZELOS ON BULGAR INVASION.

A DISASTER TO NATIONAL HONOUR.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)
ATHENS, Aug. 24.

M. Venzelos, receiving a Labour deputation on the subject of the Bulgar invision, said it was a disaster to national honour. He advised them to hold a meeting to show the Government that the Greeks were not a dead nation.

A telegram from Salonika says the growth of the volunteer movement is affecting the Government. Several thousands are already armed and in uniform and are preparing to fight.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

BRITISH ATTACK AT THIEPVAL.

"A MODEL OPERATION."

HURRICANE BOMBARDMENT AND INFANTRY RUSH.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)
LONDON, Aug. 25.

Correspondents at Headquarters describe the British attack at Thiepval as a model operation. It was preceded by a most intense bombardment over a small area hitherto seen. The ground heaved itself into the air in one great dust storm until the smoke blotted out the chaos.

Then khaki figures streamed in thin, evenly-spaced waves across No Man's Land. Occasionally a man fell, but others went on without wavering and soon reached the margin of smoke, and scrambled, jumped and climbed into the trenches.

Looming heroically in the haze could be seen an officer directing the men with the arm outstretched and others running along the edge of the trenches, dropping down and disappearing. Then, parties of enemy appeared holding up their hands.

There were altogether 93 British casualties in the capture of the strong fortress, whereas 200 enemy prisoners were taken and 400 German dead were found in the trenches. Probably, the German casualties were a thousand.

IMPORTANT OPERATIONS DEVELOPING.

Reuter's correspondent in a message dated 24th instant, wires:—This is another day of big events, just how big I cannot tell you, because what promises to be one of the most important features of the war programme is now only developing. We are at several points repeating our invariably successful tactics, namely, short hurricane bombardment, then infantry rush. Even if the foe is hiding in the depths of dug-outs, he is so dazed by the thunderous concussion that he has no stomach for resistance. This all spells progress. The nut-crackers are gripping and indications suggest the impending crack.

The escaped British prisoner emphatically asserts that all the German machine-gunners he saw wore Red Cross bands on their arms.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

SUBSTANTIAL BRITISH PROGRESS.

LINE ADVANCED SEVERAL HUNDREDS OF YARDS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Aug. 25.

A British communiqué says, we advanced our line several hundred yards each side of Longueval-Flers road. We also joined up on the right with the French, who progressed through Maurepas.

The French made important progress through Maurepas. There was much hard fighting on the eastern and northern edges of Delville Wood as a result of which we took eight officers and 179 men prisoners before eight this morning.

The length of the trenches captured south of Thiepval yesterday extends across the Leipzig redoubt salient, a distance of 700 yards.

We subsequently still further progressed in this sector as the result of bombing attacks, taking a further 105 prisoners. Our loss was very small.

Last night we made several successful raids north of Neuville St. Vaast, near Hulluch and west of Aubers, inflicting loss.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

BRITISH ADVANCE NEAR MOUQUET FARM.

DETERMINED ENEMY ATTACK REPULSED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Aug. 26.

General Haig this afternoon reports:—

Near Mouquet Farm the British progressed another four hundred yards. Trenches were taken along the Courcelette-Thiepval road at half past seven last night the Prussian Guard after very heavy artillery preparation attacked our new trenches southward of Thiepval. The attack was pressed with determination but was everywhere repulsed with heavy enemy loss. Our success was largely due to the steadiness and gallantry of the Wiltshires and the Worcesters.

FIGHTING WEST OF GUINCHY

ENEMY REPULSHED BY MAXIMS FIRE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Aug. 26.

Last night's communiqué from General Haig said:—

West of Guinchy the enemy attacked but were repulsed. There has been artillery activity in various parts of the front. The German attack west of Guinchy was made by two companies and was repulsed by maxim fire. The enemy yesterday and to-day cannonaded these trenches and also those we captured near Delville Wood where we took two maxims and ninety more prisoners.

AEROPLANE RAIDS ON ENEMY TRAINS.

Two aeroplane raids on enemy communications damaged several trains. A hostile aircraft generally avoided a combat but there were some fights in which a number of enemy machines were damaged and driven down. The British machine was felled by gun-fire.

ENEMY'S DETERMINED ATTACK FAILS.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)
LONDON, Aug. 26.

In this afternoon's communiqué General Haig mentioned that the enemy had bombarded our first line at intervals throughout the night and attacked at Guillemont as well as at Thiepval but did not reach our lines.

The importance the enemy attributes to the Thiepval sector, is shown by the determined efforts he is making to regain the lost ground in the Leipzig salient where he is effecting a great concentration of guns. This is also brought out by last night's assault by the Prussian Guards.

ENEMY GUN POSITIONS DESTROYED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Aug. 27.

General Haig in a communiqué last night reported that the enemy's artillery had been active against Mametz Wood and north of Delville Wood. Fighting continued at Mouquet Farm. We have captured 67 prisoners in the Mouquet Farm area and south of Thiepval during the last 24 hours.

Two hostile attempts against a sap south of Bethune-La Bassee road were driven back by rifle fire.

The enemy shelled Roclincourt, La Couture and district east of Zillebeke in the day time and there was also much reciprocal trench-mortar activity near Hohenzollern.

Our counter-batteries yesterday successfully engaged enemy gun positions, some of which were destroyed and others damaged.

Our aircraft attacked many points of military importance in the enemy's rear, dropping altogether five tons of bombs. One hostile machine was felled and another driven down damaged. Two British machines are missing.

BOTH FRONTAL AND LATERAL ATTACKS.

LOSSES REDUCED BY 75 PER CENT.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)
LONDON, Aug. 26.

The French capture of Maurepas and the British success at Thiepval are typical of the new Allied method of advancing piecemeal. The plan of the Allies is intensely to bombard patches of front, then send out patrols to ascertain the damage and after that to drench other points in a storm of shell, the infantry meanwhile attacking along lanes formed by the first bombardments. Thus both frontal and lateral attacks are possible and greater gains are in this way obtained at a smaller loss of life than hitherto.

The value of the success is apparent from the importance attached by the enemy to the Guillemont-Ginchy region where alone he retains an effective footing on the ridge. These two strongholds with the Thiepval Plateau remain the most formidable bastions in the enemy's line, but the pressure around them is growing constantly more severe. Stubborn, relentless fighting by which the British in the last three weeks have forced their way over open, up the slope and then pushed the enemy by inches to the further edge of the whole plateau is the outstanding feature of the battle.

Eight miles of German lines between Thiepval and Gincha are described by a correspondent as a huge fortress flanked by bastions, the outworks of which were stormed on Thursday. It is stated that the Germans have concentrated on this little front enough men to garrison eighty miles of trench. They have also hundreds of batteries of all calibres; these, like the troops, are massed at certain places behind the lines. Their vain counter-attacks have cost the Germans losses unprecedented for purely defensive fighting. On the other hand it is calculated that the new Allied method of attack reduces the losses by 75 per cent.

COLNE VALLEY BY-ELECTION.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Aug. 25.

Mr. Mallalieu, Coalitionist, has been returned unopposed in the Colne Valley By-election due to the illness of Mr. Charles Leach.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

YOUNG TURKS DENOUNCED.

SHERIF OF MECCA'S PROCLAMATION.

TURKS' DEPARTURE FROM PRECEPTS OF KORAN.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
CAIRO, Aug. 25.

The Grand Sherif of Mecca has issued a proclamation to the Islam world denouncing the Young Turks for ruining Turkey, departing from the precepts of the Koran, perpetrating cruelties and tyrannies and selling "The ancient House which God has chosen for His House."

The proclamation adds, "Our independence is complete and absolute and our aim the preservation of Islam. We trust that our brethren in all parts of the world will each do his dufy so that the bonds of brotherhood in Islam may be confirmed. We depend upon God, the All-Powerful, whose defence is sufficient for us."—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

RUSSIAN OPERATIONS AGAINST TURKS.

DISTRIBUTION OF ENEMY FORCES.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)
PETROGRAD, Aug. 24.

It is officially believed that from thirteen to sixteen Turkish divisions are operating in the Erzingan region. About two corps are engaged in the Lake Van region, on the Bitlis-Mush line, and from four to six divisions in Mesopotamia.

Military authorities believe that the Turkish initiative on the Caucasian front is on the verge of collapse.

Russian successes southward of Lake Urumia are very important strategically. The Turkish object of diverting the Russians from Erzingan-Sivas line has been signally not realised.

Russian plans on the Caucasian front embrace immense distances, but are slowly and surely developing.—*Appeared in our Edition.*

DISSENSION IN HUNGARY.

PREMIER DISCLAIMS RESPONSIBILITY FOR TRENTINO OFFENSIVE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Aug. 25.

An indication of the dissension existing in Hungary is furnished by the fact that the Premier, Count Tisza, has made a statement disclaiming responsibility for the Trentino offensive.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

EAST AFRICAN CAMPAIGN.

KILOSSA OCCUPIED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)
LONDON, Aug. 25.

A despatch from East Africa says that General Vandeventer's column attacked Kilossa on the 21st instant and fighting continued all day and night.

A column was detached and attacked twenty miles to the east in order to assist General Vandeventer. The move was successful and Kilossa was occupied, the enemy retiring to the south-east.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

GENRAL SMUT'S EXCELLENT PROGRESS.

SPLENDID WORK BY INDIAN MOUNTAIN ARTILLERY.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
ALLAHABAD, Aug. 27.

The "Pioneer's" special correspondent cables:—

London, August 26.—Satisfaction is expressed with the East African campaign. General Smuts' progress has been excellent as has also been that of Generals Van Der Venter and Northey. The Indian Mountain Artillery has been successful frequently shelling and opening the way for the infantry. The enemy is disheartened and is constantly retreating. The Indian troops are doing well.

RESTRICTION ON EXPORT OF AUSTRALIAN SILVER.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
MELBOURNE, Aug. 25.

The Commonwealth Government has prohibited exportation of silver without permission.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

MESSRS J. D. JONES AND CO.

Messrs. J. D. Jones & Co., have recently opened a Branch Office in Bombay, having been established in Calcutta for a period of twenty-five years, with a well equipped works for the technical manufacture of Mica specialities. Attention is particularly drawn to their "Grayite" specialities in non-conducting composition for boilers etc., Red Asbestos Jointing and Lubricating Grease. In the Rubber and Agency Department, the goods are guaranteed of the highest grade being of British manufacture only. Messrs. Jones & Co.'s., compare favourably with existing market rates and we have no doubt they will readily secure local patronage.

LATEST ZEPPELIN RAID.

WARM RECEPTION AT COASTAL STATIONS.

CASUALTIES NEAR LONDON.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

LONDON, Aug. 25.

It is officially announced that an air-raider reached the outskirts of London and dropped 40 explosive and incendiary bombs.

Three men, three women and two children were killed; three men, four women seriously injured; and four men, seven women and three children slightly injured. One soldier was seriously injured and fourteen slightly.

An electric power station and engineering works were damaged by fire. Altogether a hundred bombs were dropped.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

LATER.

An official announcement regarding the air-raid says that several small fires occurred in the outskirts of London. They were promptly extinguished and several rescues were made by firemen.

An airship was fired on and immediately altered her course. There was possibly a second raider over London.

Two or three raiders came over the eastern counties and dropped more than thirty bombs, but caused no casualties and did no damage.

Another raider attempted to approach a sea-port town, but was heavily fired on by anti-aircraft guns and driven off to the east after dropping nineteen bombs in the sea.

Another off south-east coast was similarly driven off and compelled to drop her bombs harmlessly into the sea.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

BRITISH AERIAL ACTIVITY.

ENEMY AIRSHIP SHEDS BOMBED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Aug. 26.

It is officially announced that naval aeroplanes yesterday morning bombed two enemy airship sheds near Namur but owing to low-lying clouds it was impossible to observe the damage. One of our machines failed to return.

BIG EXPLOSIONS.

SERIOUS DAMAGE REPORTED.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)

AMTERDAM, Aug. 27.

"The Echo Belge" states that an Allied airsquadron bombed the neighbourhood of Ghent on the 25th instant and two big explosions were heard. It is believed that two munition depots were blown up. It is rumoured that the damage done and the number of victims were very great.

It is also stated that in the course of the attack the gunpowder depot at Meirelbeke was blown up and a Zeppelin stationed at Stdeniswestdem was damaged.

ITALIAN TROOPS IN ALBANIAN EPIRUS

COASTAL STATIONS OCCUPIED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

ROME, Aug. 25.

In order to check signallings to enemy submarines, Italian troops have occupied Porto Palermo and Mount Kalarat, on the coast of the Albanian Epirus, which is in the Greek sphere of influence.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

RUMANIA'S PREPARATIONS.

INCREASED EXTRAODINARY CREDIT FOR THE ARMY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

PARIS, Aug. 26.

The Rumanian Government has increased the extraordinary credit for the Army by eight million sterling and appointed a new Director of Munitions and a new Commander of the First Army.

SINKING OF THE DUKE OF ALBANY.

24 DROWNED AND 88 SAVED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Aug. 26.

It is officially announced that the armed boarding-steamer, Duke of Albany, was sunk by a submarine in the North Sea on the 24th instant, Twenty-four were drowned and eighty-eight saved.

VINCENT COMMISSION.

REPORT REACHES WAR OFFICE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

LONDON, Aug. 23.

In the House of Lords today Lord Lansdowne announced that the Vincent Report had been communicated to the War Office last week. It had not arrived sooner, apparently because the Viceroy had informed Mr. Chamberlain that there was nothing in it requiring immediate action as everything pressing had been attended to.

The War Office was carefully examining the report. Every demand for medical stores had been met and every further demand, however large, would be quickly supplied.

PROVISION OF RIVER TRANSPORT.

Orders had been given for the provision of necessary river transport, but it would be impossible to remedy all the defects until at least the end of October.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

MESOPOTAMIA SITUATION UNCHANGED

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

LONDON, Aug. 25.

It is officially announced that the situation in Mesopotamia is unchanged.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

AUSTRALIA AND CONSCRIPTION

DECISION REACHED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

MELBOURNE, Aug. 27.

After a meeting of the Cabinet Mr. Hughes stated that a decision had been reached regarding conscription but he declined to say more.

It was noticed that Ministers known to be in favour of conscription looked pleased.

Political parties are now considering the matter.

D. S. O. FOR INDIAN ARMY OFFICER.

A GALLANT FEAT.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)

LONDON, Aug. 24.

The "London Gazette" announces that the D. S. O. has been conferred on Captain C. F. Trench, Indian Army, for conspicuous gallantry. With another officer and thirteen sowars he carried a very urgent message a dozen miles through country swarming with the enemy. The horsemen successfully delivered it.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

RISE IN COTTON PRICES.

SMALL AMERICAN OUTTURN.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 26.

Commenting on the rise in cotton "The Times" says:—There is little doubt that the United States crop will be small but in some quarters the last official estimate is regarded as unduly pessimistic. Moreover, the market in America is under bull control.

THE SHACKLETON EXPEDITION.

THIRD ATTEMPT TO RESCUE THE MAROONED PARTY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

BUENOS AIRES, Aug. 27.

Sir Ernest Shckleton has left Punta Arenas on board the Yelco on his third attempt to rescue the members of his expedition marooned on the Elephant Island.

CANADIAN FOREST FIRES.

300 LIVES LOST AND MILLIONS WORTH OF DAMAGE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

OTTAWA, Aug. 25.

The Commissioner's report on the forest fires in North Ontario says that the fires were due to the settlers' lighting fires to clear the land.

Nearly 700,000 acres were burned, 300 lives were lost and timber valued at 6,000,000 dollars and property worth several million dollars were destroyed. Fires are still smouldering in places.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

SILVER MARKET.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Aug. 24.

Messrs. Montagu's report says:—The tone has been good. The smallness of supplies and the slight prospect of their increase have caused buyers for coinage to refrain from competing. This policy is the more justifiable owing to the recent large sales from China, whence further sales seem unlikely at present as the China exchanges are hardening.

The hindrance to Mexican mining, which may be prolonged, will further reduce the output, while the demand promises to be more urgent than ever, especially should China be compelled to replace her heavy sales.—*Appeared in our Sunday Edition.*

N.-W. FRONTIER RAIDS.

MAJOR HEALE'S VIGOROUS MEASURES.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, Aug. 26.

With reference to the question raised by Mr. Vijia Raghavacheriar regarding the misdeeds of the Mashuds and Waziris on the North West Frontier in the March session of the Imperial Legislative Council held at Delhi, it is understood as a result of the Government of India's enquiries, Major Heale, who has an extensive knowledge of the tribes at Bannu, Peshawar, Kohat, Dera Ghahrsodda and Thal was sent to Dehra Ismail Khan and vigorous measures were adopted by him to stamp out the raids in the district. Major Heale has visited with swift punishment the local *badmashes* who were aiding the trans-frontier marauders and he has also successfully pursued the Waziris often at considerable risk to his life. Among the measures adopted by him to this end was a free supply of arms to villagers, and visiting the villagers with deterrent punishment for remissness in hunting down the criminals.

CASUALTY LIST.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Aug. 22.

The following casualties are announced:—

KILLED.

Captain R G Attride, East Surreys.
Second-Lieut A W Beasley, Berkshires.
Second-Lieut A Frazer, Highland L I.
Second-Lieut A C Haldane, Seaforths.
Second-Lieut P G W O'Hara, East Surreys.
Second-Lieut S V Phillips, Leicesters.
Captain R W Reid, Highland L I.
Captain W H B Savile, Field Artillery.
Second-Lieut F E Sparrow, Engineers.
Second-Lieut W H L Vesey-Fitzgerald, Devons.

DIED OF WOUNDS.

Second-Lieut G H Dalton, Irish Regiment.
Captain R C Knott, Northumberland Fusiliers.

WOUNDED.

Captain E O Alabaster, Engineers.
Captain W E M Blandy, Berkshires.
Major C T Brown, Engineers.
Lieut A C Bruce, Highland L I.
Second-Lieut A W Carter, Middlesex.
Captain J de H Chisolm-Batten, Field Artillery.
Second-Lieut W B Copeland, North Stafford.
Second-Lieut A Craig, Highland L I.
Second-Lieut M Cutler, Shropshire L I.
Captain W F Dawson, East Kents.
Second-Lieut C W Denning, Londons.
Lieut W R Elliot, Londons.
Second-Lieut J H Fearnhead, Liverpools.
Second-Lieut H C Gould, Royal Fusiliers.
Lieut F N Graham, Warwicks.
Captain J E Grosvenor, Worcesters.
Second-Lieut W A Guinness, Londons.
Second-Lieut E B K Hunt, West Kents.
Second-Lieut W M Inglis, Sherwoods.
Lieut W A Johnston, Royal Engineers.
Second-Lieut D R Keith, Highland L I.
Lieut J V King, Middlesex.
Lieut C Lakin, Oxford and Bucks L I.
Captain C A L Lewis, Berkshires.
Captain N Maasdorp, Field Artillery.
Second-Lieut G E Mckay, Argyll and Sutherlands.
Second-Lieut W Mitchell, East Yorkshires.
Second-Lieut J M Moir, East Lancashires.
Second-Lieut G S Morris, Londons.
Major G R H Nugent, Artillery.
Lieut E L Oliver, Liverpools.
Captain W L Owen, Liverpools.
Second-Lieut G Pearson, Oxford and Bucks L I.
Second-Lieut E W Porter, Liverpools.
Captain C E Pumphrey, Durham L I.
Second-Lieut W N Rees, Welsh Regiment.
Second-Lieut E M Richards, Engineers.
Captain H A Robinson, Royal Fusiliers.
Major L Roche, Munster Fusiliers.
Second-Lieut F J St. Aubyn, Kings Royal Rifles.
Captain A E Seddon, Suffolks.
Lieut. B C Smith, Sherwoods.
Second-Lieut C H Taylor, Berkshires.
Lieut W G Tetley, West Yorkshires.
Lieut T. Thompson, Irish Rifles.
Second-Lieut T Williams, Liverpools.

MISSING.

Second-Lieut R McL. Crawford, Highland L I.
Second-Lieut L D Evans, King's Royal Rifles.
Second-Lieut J J Lean, Highland L I.
Second-Lieut H E St. George, Liverpools.
Lieut W A Wayman, Oxford and Bucks L I.

LONDON, Aug. 23.

KILLED.

Second-Lieut W H Challiner, Liverpools.
Second-Lieut A P Cockerell, King's Royal Rifles.
Lieut A G Douglas, Leicesters.
Captain A W Fulton, Liverpools.
Second-Lieut D C Goolden, Royal Fusiliers.
Second-Lieut B A Gummer, Liverpools.
Captain G R Hichin, Medicals.
Second-Lieut M Hood-Rowan, Liverpools.
Second-Lieut W R Merriman, Rifle Brigade.
Second-Lieut F M Nodder, Field Artillery.
Second-Lieut C S Peerless, Field Artillery.
Second-Lieut L Raine, York and Lancasters.
Second-Lieut D A Roeber, Bedfords.
Second-Lieut H Watson, Liverpools.

NOW KILLED.

Lieut F M Drinkill, Royal Fusiliers.
Captain W G Warden, Somerset L I.

ACCIDENTALLY KILLED.

Second-Lieut S L Faithfull, Engineers.

WOUNDED.

Second-Lieut H Acomb, Yorkshires.
Second-Lieut H L Arnott, Duke of Wellington's.
Second-Lieut E L Barrington, Devons.
Second-Lieut J E D Barthelemy, Cheshires.
Second-Lieut E G Bird, Royal Fusiliers.
Captain G G Burard, Field Artillery.
Second-Lieut G B Davey, Liverpools.
Second-Lieut J H David, Yorkshire L I.
Second-Lieut E J Davies, Liverpools.
Second-Lieut T S V De Guerin, Field Artillery.
Second-Lieut T C H Dickson, Dublin Fusiliers.
Second-Lieut W M Drummond, Camerons.
Captain G W S Dundas, Rifle Brigade.
Second-Lieut G J Eccles, Sussex.
Second-Lieut J A Fulton, Irish Regiment.
Second-Lieut W D Hearn, Engineers.
Second-Lieut H Ingham, West Yorkshires.
Second-Lieut W J Jones, Machine-gun Corps.
Second-Lieut M S Judd, West Kents.
Second-Lieut W G Kay, Middlesex.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

SIMLA, Aug. 26.

The following names of British officers appear in the 184th casualty list of the Indian Expeditionary Forces:—

DIED OF WOUNDS.

Lieut. B. J. P. Mawdsley (previous reported prisoner and wounded), Indian Army.
Second-Lieut. H. A. Bradshaw, Indian Army Reserve of Officers.

WOUNDED.

Lieut. H. Toulmin, Loyal North Lancashires.
Second-Lieut. H. I. De La Motte, Indian Army.
Second-Lieut. C. H. W. Clifford, Indian Army Reserve of Officers.

CONVALESCENT HOMES FOR SOLDIERS.

SCANDALOUS CONDITIONS IN THE NILGIRIS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Aug. 27.

The "Statesma" writes" as follows:—A letter on Thursday appealing for games for convalescents at Wellington and Coonoor has drawn attention to the sick stations for soldiers with which rumour has been very busy during the past six or seven weeks. About the middle of July the charitably disposed people of Calcutta received urgent appeals from friends at Wellington and other smaller stations in the Nilgiri Hills on behalf of the wounded and sick soldiers who are arriving there and for whom no provision, or practically none had been made. The recipients of these letters shocked and amazed at the conditions of which they are made aware, set about collecting what they could in money and goods to relieve the situation. The letters from the residents tell a terrible story of hardship and privation undergone by the wounded and sick from Mesopotamia which might have been avoided had there been a preliminary preparation or organisation. Earlier arrivals found no mattresses or pillows on their iron beds. All they had to lie upon was coir. It was cold and the men had very few blankets between them They were drinking out of cigarette tins and empty condensed milk tins. There was not a spare bed sheet in the place. Most of the men had travelled for days. They had practically no underclothing and there was no stock of either clothes or utensils. Some of the men said that they would rather be back in Mesopotamia. With things in such a state as this more men were constantly arriving. One would have thought that if the authorities were unable to make proper provisions an official appeal should have been sent not only in Madras but to every province in India for help, but no public appeal was made. It would have been impossible had a public appeal been made, for a lady to write on August 1st, a fortnight or more after the first appeals for assistance had been received in Calcutta, describing enteric patients as lying in their boots on a piece of coir stretched on iron beds with their faces buried in their nasty hard pillows. Had Calcutta and Bengal known that the sick men were sent to an enteric depot in which there were beds but no mattresses, neither soap nor towels, insufficient food of the kind needed by invalids, we cannot doubt that all these necessaries would have been provided in the course of a very few days. For many days after the invalided soldiers first began to arrive the supply of drugs was hopelessly inadequate and patients in urgent need of aspirin and other drugs had to suffer because someone somewhere had neglected the obvious duty. The work of dealing with the returned wounded in India has been conducted on lamentably haphazard principles. In Bombay where they have big war hospitals zealously looked after by an energetic committee things are well and a returned soldier gets reasonable comfort and proper medical attendance and treatment. but in smaller stations where it has been sought to improvise hospitals there has been much suffering which might have been averted by a little care and foresight on the part of those responsible. Even to-day fever convalescents from hospitals in the plains are sent to hill stations without warm underclothing, the result being that there have been numerous cases of pneumonia, while others on recovery are sent off on long train journeys without food or drink or money to buy them with.

KARACHI FREIGHT MARKET.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

KARACHI, Aug. 26.

In the Karachi freight market there is but little tonnage offering and rates are firmer again. There are no berth bookings but three charters at 105 shillings for September loading have been put through.

DEATH OF MR. K. P. GADGIL.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

POONA, Aug. 27.

The death ocurred in Poona City early this morning after a few days' illness of Mr. K. P. Gadgil, the well-known barrister. The deceased was the oldest legal practioner in Poona, his age at the time of his death being 77 years. The late Mr. Gadgil was entirely a self-made man. He began life at the age of 14 as a copying clerk in a Government office on a salary Rs. 9, and later having passed as a pleader was entrusted with a good deal of Government work, his ability as a lawyer being early recognised. Subsequently he went to England and was called to the bar.

Official and Personal.

His Excellency the Viceroy leaves Simla at the end of October and proceeds to Dehra Dun. He then goes to Delhi and presides at the opening of the Chiefs' Conference. From Delhi His Excellency pays a brief visit to Agra, Jaipur, Udaipur and Ajmer thence proceeding to Burma via Calcutta. His Excellency returns to Calcutta where he spends a fortnight or three weeks before returning to Delhi in time for the opening of the session of the Imperial Legislative Council.

The Rev. J. C. R. Ewing is reappointed Vice-Chancellor of the Punjab University with effect from September 11th, the date on which his former term of office will expire.

The Hon. Sir Dinshah Petit and Mr. Cowasji Jalbhoy Seth have been elected Trustees of the Bombay Parsi Punchayat Funds to fill the vacancies caused by the deaths of the late Sir Dinshah Davar and Mr. N. J. Gamadia.

TROUBLE IN MORARJI GOKULDAS MILLS.

STRIKE OF LABOURERS.

On Friday evening trouble of a somewhat serious nature occured in the Morarji Goculdas Mills in Parel. The trouble arose out of a demand for increased wages by men in the weaving Department of the Mill, as they thought they had not been sufficiently paid, but the agents of the Mill met the demand by giving them a rise. The labourers, however, did not think their demands had been fairly met and a large body of them, numbering about 900, did not return to their work. The Mill Manager then engaged Mahomedan weavers to replace them. The strikers could not brook the presence of these men and they, on Friday evening, assaulted the Mahomedan weavers, as they were leaving the Mill premises by throwing stones at them. But the timely arrival of the Police prevented further trouble. On Saturday last the strickers had not given in and the weaving department work had to be conducted without them.

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "CHRONICLE."

Sir,—One or two correspondents have written to the "Chronicle" and the "Times of India" protesting against the maltreatment to which a noble animal was recently subjected in the streets of Bombay.

May I, however, ask if these gentlemen have had their mental peace ever disturbed by the contemplation of fiendish cruelty to which animals are daily condemned for the sake of providing them a daily piece of flesh meat to eat?

Dr. Josiah Oldfield, M.A., D.C.L., L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., Senior Physician, Lady Margaret Hospital (Fruitarian) Bromley, Kent, says in his "The cruelties of the flesh traffic" (which the Secretary of the Bombay Humanitarian Society, 309, Shroff Bazaar, Bombay, will send on receipt of 3 anna-stamps):—

"Can an animal be killed painlessly? The unanimous experience of centuries of experimentation over the whole world is summed up in the short word 'No.'

"We are, therefore, face to face with an enormous volume of pain, continuing day and night, week after week, month after month, year after year, century after century, deliberately inflicted by man, directly or indirectly, for the sake of providing him a daily piece of flesh meat to eat.

"If this daily piece of flesh meat were *necessary* then would the human race be of all mortals the most miserable, because it would be conscious of its inherent inability to rise to the height of eternal 'kindness' to which its higher aspirations long to attain. Man would be a creature endowed with a longing towards a state of Mercy, Love and Gentleness, but enchained to a state of practical Harshness, Hatred and Cruelty.

"We are, therefore, as thinking reasoning beings, face to face with the fact that we are deliberately inflicting an untold and unnecessary volume of agony upon sensient fellow-creatures for the gratification of our appetite!

"In looking round upon the world of life, I can conceive of few things more terrible to contemplate than this question of butchery and all that it involves. In the daily butchery of animals, men are engaged in their loathesome, degrading duties, day after day and year after year, and each night as the poor man wipes the blood off his hands and changes his blood-smirched clothes he knows that he has killed his pile of innocent victims, and that the animals who but a few days before were bright in the beauty of health are now lying with glazed eyes and dripping limbs, dead, skinned, eviscerated and mangled.

"Those, therefore, who are eaters of flesh, are responsible for perpetuating in the land a race of humans doomed to an inhuman occupation."

The custom of eating flesh involves the infliction of an incalculable amount of pain and torture upon countless thousands of God's sensient creatures, such cruelties as are daily taking place *being utterly unjustifiable except upon the grounds of absolute and unavoidable necessity.* As such necessity does not exist, the perpetration of these cruelties which are *inseparable* from the flesh traffic and wholesale butchery, is morally *wrong*, being an outrage upon all humane sentiment, and the violation of the duty of showing mercy to the weak and defenceless.—Yours, etc.,

P.

Bombay 18th Aug. 1916.

HEALTHY HAIR HINTS.

The idea that baldness is a sign of intellectuality is fast being exploded.

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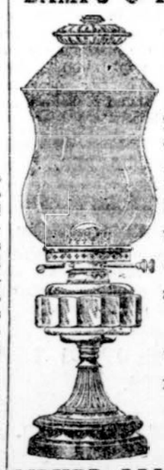

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BOMBAY.

ENEMY FIRMS IN BOMBAY.

GOVERNMENT DIRECTED TO WIND THEM UP.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

SIMLA, Aug. 26.

The Bombay Government have been directed to proceed with the winding of the following enemy firms, Bombay:—

(1) Austrian Lloyd Steam Navigation Company; (2) Badische Company Limited, (3) Baner and Drause, (4) A. Blascheck and Company, (5) Bume and Reif, (6) Bleckmann, (7) Berlin Aniline Company; (8) Continental Tyre and Rubber Company; (9) Carlton Hotel; (10) Carl Kalanch, (11) Farbenfabriken Bayer and Co. Ltd., (12) Farbwerke Mulheim Vorm. Leonhardt and Company, (13) C. Flor and Company, (14) E. G. Fulep, (15) Gebruder Friese, (16) German East Africa Line (Bombay Agency), (17) Harry Greayer, (18) Heinz and Company, Limited, (19) Heinr and Meyer, (20) C. Hummel, (21) Johs Germes and Company, (22) Josef Tilum, (23) Leopold Cassella and Company, (24) Meister Lucius and Brunning, Limited, (25) Metzker and Company, (26) Salomon Brothers, Limited, (27) G. A. Seglechtendahl, Limited, (28) Artrandes and Company, (29) Steffens and Nolle, Limited (30) Karl J. Trubner, (31) W. Wolf and Sons, (32) A. Wulfing and Company (also known as the Sanatogen Company), (33) Allianz Insurance Company, Limited of Berlin, (34) Assurance Union of Hamburg, (35) Ranchen and Munich Fire Insurance Company, (36) Fire Insurance Company (37) Continental Insurance Company, (38) German Marine Insurance Company, (39) General Insurance Company, (39) General Insurance Company of Trieste, (40) General Marine Insurance Company of Dresden, (41) Hamburg Assurance Company, (42) Hamburg Bremen Fire Insurance Company, (43) Hancantie Insurance Company of 1877, (44) Lloyd of Cologne, General Insurance Company, (43) Magdeurg Fire Insurance Company, (46) Nord Deutsche Insurance Company, (47) Prussian National Insurance Company, (fire), (48) Rhenania Insurance Company, (49) Trans Atlantic Marine Insurance Company (50) Upper Rhine Insurance Company, (51) the John Forstner Company, (52) (52) the John Forstner Company, (53) Wiechers Kaiser and Levy Ltd., (53) E.I. Wolfson and Company (54) Carl Ziegerspeck.

During the week ending August 19th the total plague mortality stood at 2287 against 3270 deaths. The following were provincial figures:—Bombay 1091, Madras 110, Bihar 62, United Provinces 60, Punjab 1, Burma 56, Central Provinces 84, Mysore 294, Hyderabd 518, Central India (Indore city) 5,

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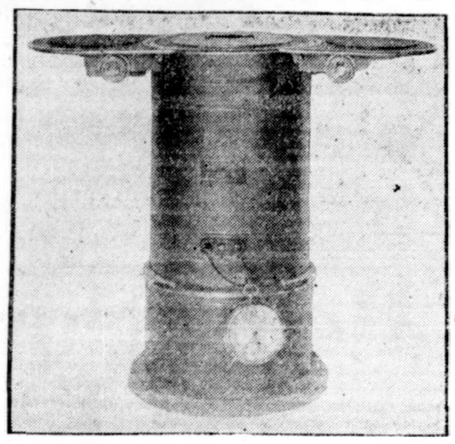

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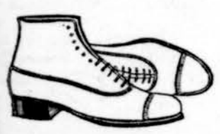

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UNIVERSITY LECTURERS FOR CURRENT YEAR.

A meeting of the Senate will be held in the University Hall on the 15th proximo, at 5-45 p.m. In addition to the conferring of Degrees, consideration of the appointment of University Lecturers for the current year will be taken up. Principal Percy Anstey has given notice of his intention to move:—

That the Senate approves of the recommendation of the Syndicate to appoint the following gentlemen to be University Lecturers for the year 1916-17 in the subjects specified against their names:—

History.—Prof. H. G. Limaye, M.A., History of the early Mahomedans in India; Prof. M. S. Commissariat, M.A., Rise and Fall of the Maurya Empire.

Economics.—Prof. K. T. Shah, B.A., B.Sc. (Econ.), The Agrarian and Industrial Problems of India; Prof. J. C. Coyajee, B.A., LL.B., The History of Economic Doctrines.

Philosophy.—A. K. Wadia, Esq., B.A., Psychology; Prof. G. C. Bhate, M.A., A comparative study of Kant and Shankar; Prof. P. A. Wadia, M.A., History of Greek Philosophy (Plato and Aristotle).

Sanskrit.—Prof. S. K. Belvalkar, M.A., Ph.D., History of Indian Philosophy with special reference to the Philosophy of Shankaracharya and of Ramanujacharya; Prof. P. D. Gune, M.A., Ph.D., Philology and Nirukta.

Persian.—Prof. Shaikh Abdul Kadir Sarfraz, M.A., Qasaide Khaqani; Prof. Muhammad Abbas, M.A., Life of the Apostle Muhammad as treated in the Rouzatus Safa.

UNIVERSITY SYNDICATE.

The following gentlemen constitute the Syndicate of the University of Bombay for the year 1916-17 (1st September, 1916 to 31st August, 1917):—

Ex-officio Members:—The Vice-Chancellor (the Rev. Dr. D. Mackichan) and the Director of Public Instruction (the Hon. Mr. W. H. Sharp).

Elected Members:—

(a) By the Faculty of Arts:—Principal A. L. Covernton, Dr. Harold H. Mann (representing Science), the Rev. Principal W. G. Robertson, Principal Percy Anstey and the Rev. Father A. Goodier.

(b) By the Faculty of Law:—Sir Narayan Chandavarkar, the Hon. Mr. Chimanlal H. Setalvad and the Hon. Mr. Justice A. M. Kajiji.

(c) By the Faculty of Medicine:—Sir Temulji Nariman, Lieut.-Colonel S. C. Evans and Lieut.-Colonel W. E. Jennings.

(d) By the Faculty of Engineering:—Drs. N. A. F. Moos and H. N. Allen.

DEANS OF FACULTIES.

The following gentlemen have been elected Deans of Faculties for the year 1916-17:—

Faculty of Arts:—The Rev. Dr. R. Scott.

Faculty of Law:—Sir Narayan Chandavarkar.

Faculty of Medicine:—Lieut.-Colonel A. Street.

Faculty of Engineering:—Sir Frederick Sprott.

ALLEGED SWINDLING BY BOGUS ADVERTISEMENT.

APPLICATION FOR REVISION OF ORDER FOR FURTHER ENQUIRY.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

ALLAHABAD, Aug. 26.

Mr. Justice Walsh at Allahabad High Court heard the application made by Bishan Sahai for the revision or an order of the Sessions Judge of Meerut directing further enquiry into the accused's case. It appeared Bishan Sahai advertised in newspaper for agents for the firm of H. W. Power and G. Henry Srigg and Co. of London. The advertisement stated that the head office of the firm was at Lahore and there was sub office in Ludgate Circus, London and the Lahore office would employ agents on Rs. 15 per mensum on their furnishing a security to the extent of Rs. 50. One Mangat Rai entered into correspondence with the accused who was manager of the Lahore office and remitted Rs. 50 as security. The complainant could not get any satisfactory information from Bishan Sahai as to the terms of the agency and could not also recover his deposit of Rs. 50. He then wrote to one Bhagwan Das at Lahore to go to the accused's office but the latter on visiting the place could not find any indication of its being the office of a business firm.

The case was originally tried by the Magistrate of Meerut who discharged the accused on the ground that the case of a civil nature. The complainant then took the matter to the Sessions Judge in revision. The Sessions Judge ordered further enquiry into the matter remarking that the whole story suggested that Bishan Sahai's advertisement for agents was one of the swindles which the newspaper "Truth" had made its business to expose in London. His Lordship admitted the application and ordered further proceedings to be stayed in the meanwhile.

BHARAT INSURANCE CO'S. CASE.

VALIDITY OF PURCHASE OF SHARES QUESTIONED.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, Aug. 25.

Major Frizelle, District Judge, Lahore, heard to-day the suit filled by the Bharat Insurance Co., of Lahore Ltd., against all the directors except the Hon. Mr. Currie and Mr. Harkishen Lal of the Lahore Electric Supply Co., Ltd., for a declaration that the shares of the Electric Supply Company held by the plaintiff Company amounting to about three lakhs, were validly held and rightly allotted and for an injunction upon the directors of the Electric Supply Co., restricting them from transferring or otherwise disposing of those shares. It was stated that the directors of the Electric Supply Company objected to the validity of those shares on the allegation that the Board of Directors of the Bharat Insurance Company never authorised the purchase of those shares and that they were purchased under the authority of Mr. Harkishen Lal, who was the Chairman of its Directorate. The judge transferred the case to the file of Rai Maya Ram, Subordinate Judge of Lahore.

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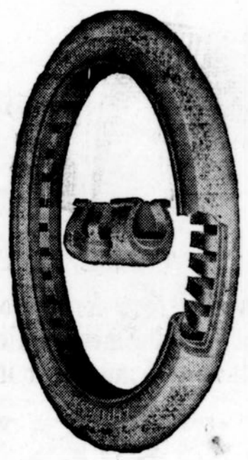

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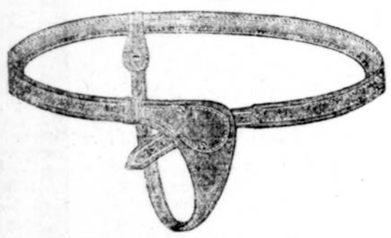
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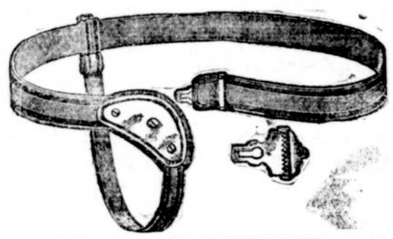
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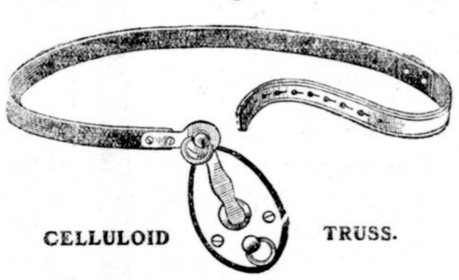
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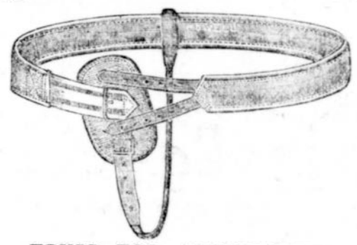
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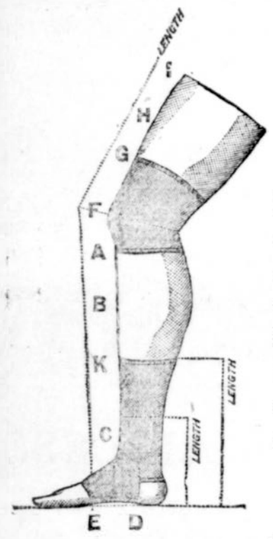

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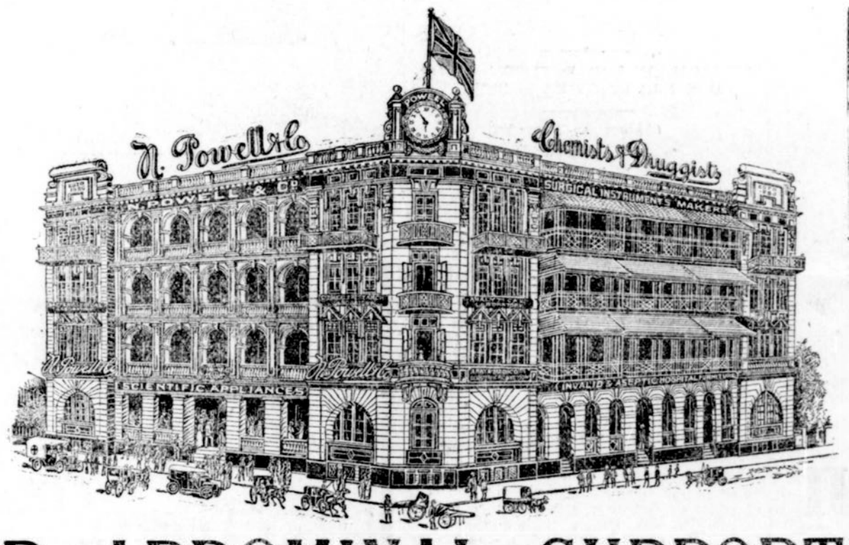

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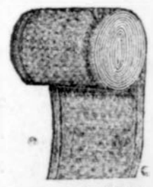

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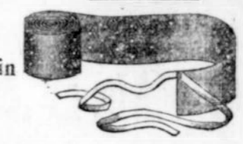

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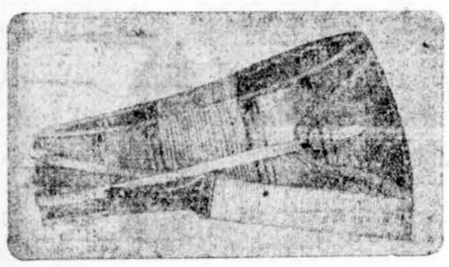

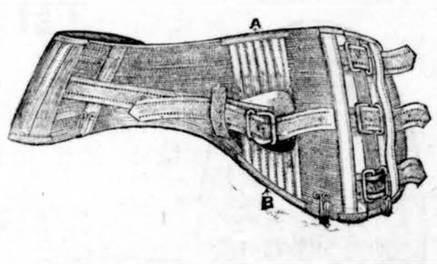

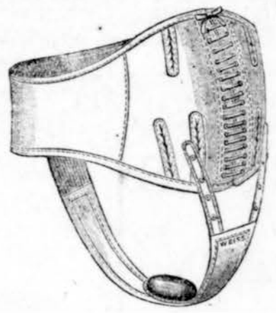

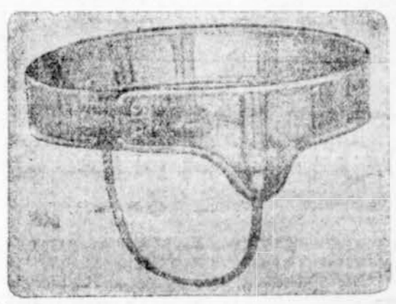

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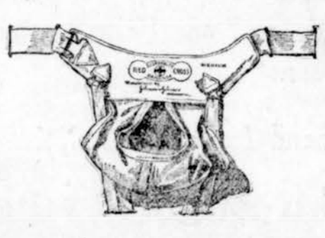

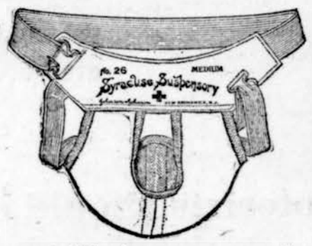

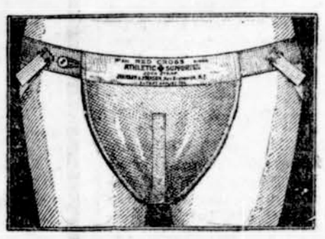

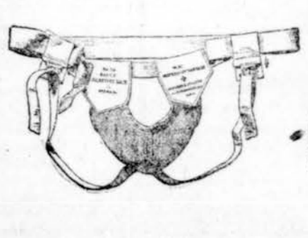

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